

LOCAL WEATHER

Fair tonight and Wednesday.
Somewhat cooler tonight. Slightly
warmer Wednesday.
Today's temperatures: 6 a. m.,
61; 8 a. m., 62; 1 p. m., 70.

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ANSWER OF BARONS
MAY BE FINAL ONE
TO WILSON APPEAL

Limited Number of Presidents
Meet During Night to Frame
Stand in the Strike
Situation

HOPE IS SEEN FOR END

It Is Believed the Roads in Last
Extremity Will Yield to
an Eight Hour
Day

By ROBERT J. BENDER
(United Press Staff Correspondent)

WASHINGTON, Aug. 22.—The
question of strike or no strike today
was in the hands of the "big barons"
of the railway world. A limited
number of the heads of the country's
biggest systems had taken charge of
the situation over night.

Their answer, it appeared, was to
be the final answer to President Wil-
son's proposal and personal appeal
for prevention of the most paralyzing
transportation tie-up in the history
of the nation.

They were to meet, one way or the
other, the president's declaration
that the country's industrial future
rested in their hands.

In a secret conference in the Metro-
politan club Monday night, a small
number of the "big barons" of the
railroad world, representing 100,000
miles of track and \$2,000,000,000 of
capital, determined on a course of
action. They were to place it be-
fore their fellow executives for ratifi-
cation at a conference Tuesday
morning. Opinion prevails that a
peaceful adjustment of the threaten-
ed commerce crisis would be affect-
ed.

As the situation stands the em-
ployees have put their demands for an
eight hour day and time and a half
for overtime in the hands of the
president. He has put it up to the
heads of the great systems and they,
in turn, have passed it on to the di-
rectors.

A short session attended by all of
the two score railroad presidents was
held during the morning, but ad-
journed at noon until 6 o'clock in the
evening. In the meantime it was an-
nounced that the select committee,
composed of eight presidents of the
leading roads and headed by Hale
Holden, would continue in session
throughout the day.

FRENCH ADVANCE
LINES ON BOTH
SIDES OF SOMME

Northwest of Soissons, Germans
Are Driven from Trenches
by French Surprise
Attack

BRITISH CLAIM GAINS

Haig Reports English Estab-
lished at Highway Junc-
tion Northwest of
Pozières

BERLIN, Aug. 22.—A Ger-
man salient projecting into the
British line between Thiepval
and Pozières was surrendered to
the enemy under repeated at-
tacks, it was officially admitted
Tuesday afternoon. Elsewhere
British attacks on this front
were repulsed.

PARIS, Aug. 22.—French troops
advanced their lines on both sides
of the River Somme Monday night,
making progress toward Clercy on
the north bank and capturing several
trench elements southwest of Estrees
and east of Sayecourt. It was of-
ficially announced Tuesday. Northwest
of Soissons, a French surprise attack
drove the Germans from a trench on
the Vingre plateau.

A French air squadron hurled sev-
enty-nine bombs at the railroad sta-
tions at Noyons and Tergnier. A
French pilot brought down an albat-
ross machine near Noyons.

British Report Advance
LONDON, Aug. 22.—British troops
advanced on a half mile front north
of the Somme Monday night and es-
tablished themselves at the highway
junction outside Monquet farm,
northwest of Pozières. General Haig
reported Tuesday afternoon. Other
detachments moved forward on the
right to the Pozières-Miraumont
road.

Aviators Damage Railroads
THE HAGUE, Aug. 22.—Raids by
allied aviators have destroyed long
sections of the Bapaume-Peronne
railway, considerably embarrassing
the German communications behind
the Somme front, it was learned here
Tuesday.

French long range guns are playing
havoc with the German transport
service near Comblès.

WISCONSIN REPUBLICAN CLUB
REPUDIATES LOCAL STALWART
"COUNTY REPUBLICAN CLUB"

In a letter addressed to D. W. MacWillie and J. E. McConnell,
its La Crosse county directors, the Wisconsin Republican club
flatly repudiates the local stalwart organization styling itself,
"The La Crosse County Republican club", and declares that the
Wisconsin Republican club is not a participant in the primary
campaign, but is concerned with the election of all republican
candidates nominated in the primaries.

The significant portion of the letter, which is signed by C.
C. Wayland, field secretary, follows:

THE WISCONSIN REPUBLICAN CLUB

PERELES BUILDING

Office of the Secretary

L. M. JEGGER

305 PERELES BUILDING

TELEPHONE MAIN 4208

MILWAUKEE

Milwaukee, August 16, 1916.

Hon. D. W. MacWillie,

Hon. John E. McConnell,

Directors of the Wisconsin Republi-

can Club,

La Crosse, Wis.

Gentlemen:

In reply to your communication of
the 15th inst. enclosing circular mailed
out by the Republican Club of La
Crosse County, will say in answer to
your inquiries that the La Crosse
County Republican Club is in no way
affiliated with the Wisconsin Republi-
can club and is entirely separate in ev-
ery particular.

The Wisconsin Republican club is in
no way connected with or affiliated
with any organization of a candidate
or set of candidates in the primary
campaign.

(Signed) C. C. WAYLAND,
Field Secretary.

For Governor—

EMANUEL L. PHILIP.

For Lieut. Governor—

MARSHALL COUSINS.

For Secretary of State—

GEORGE L. HARRINGTON.

For State Treasurer—

HENRY JOHNSON.

For Attorney General—

EMMETT R. HICKS.

For State Senator—

JOHN C. GAVENEY.

For State Assemblyman, First District—

CARL KURTENACKER.

For State Assemblyman, Second Dist.—

CLINTON DAVEY.

Authorized to be published and circu-

lated by Harry Watkins, Secretary of

the Republican Club of La Crosse

County.

The aim of this entire program
is plainly to create the impression
that the Stalwart club is an official
organization of the republican party
and the idea is not barred that it is
connected with the widely advertised
Wisconsin Republican club. The de-
ception fails despite its audacity, for
this so-called "Republican Ticket"
does not contain the names of

Senator Robert M. La Follette,
three times Republican governor of
Wisconsin and now twice Republi-
can United States senator from
Wisconsin, a candidate before the
primary.

William H. Hatton, formerly Re-
publican state senator and now a
candidate for the republican nomi-
nation for governor;

Francis E. McGovern, twice Re-
publican governor of Wisconsin and
now a candidate for the republican
nomination for governor;

Edward Dithmar, now Republican
lieutenant governor of Wisconsin,
and a candidate for renomination in
the primary;

Merlin Hull, former Republican
assemblyman and speaker of the as-
sembly, now a candidate for the re-
publican nomination for secretary of
state;

Walter S. Owen, former Republi-
can state senator, now republican
attorney general of Wisconsin and a
candidate for re-nomination;

Eugene F. Clark, life-long Republi-
can, now a candidate for the republi-
can nomination for senator from
this district.

The republican party of Wiscon-
sin would be a pretty skinny organi-
zation without these men and what
they represent. Most of them are
men who will be nominated and
elected. They will displace most, if
not all, of the names on the above
pseudo "Republican Ticket".

In order to protect themselves
from the displeasure of republicans
who felt that the name of the re-
publican party was being taken in
vain by a mere faction, and The Wis-
consin Republican club imposed up-
on. Directors MacWillie and McCon-
nell wrote the officials of that club
to inquire just what is the status of
"The La Crosse County Republican
club". In a letter signed by C. C.
Wayland, field secretary, The Wis-
consin Republican club flatly repudi-
ates the local stalwart "Republican
club". Secretary Wayland's letter
heads this story.

Following the meeting, The La
Crosse County (STALWART) Re-
publican club promulgated the fol-
lowing so-called "ticket":

For President—
CHARLES E. HUGHES.
For Vice-President—
CHARLES W. FAIRBANKS.
(To be voted on at the November elec-
tion.)

PRESERVE THIS SLIP
Take this to the polls on Primary
Day, Sept. 5th, 1916. Vote for these at
the Primary.
For United States Senator—
MALCOLM G. JEFFRIS.
For Member of Congress—
JOHN J. ESCH.

RACINE PLUMBERS LOCKED OUT

RACINE, Wis., Aug. 22.—Forty
union plumbers were virtually lock-
ed out when they were told Tuesday
that all the master plumbers had

agreed to conduct open shops in the
future because the union tradesmen
refused to work with non-union
painters, as previously done. The
master plumbers call it a strike, but
the men say it is a lockout.

FAITHFUL OFFICERS
HEIRS OF DEFUNCT
MERCHANTS' BODY

Association's Last Act to Spend
Treasury for Gifts to
Gesell and Tag-
gart

RECORDS TO THE CHAMBER

Famous Organization Passes
Out This Morning with
Eulogies from the
Survivors

Another organization whose work
is built into the very structure of
La Crosse business voluntarily gave
up the ghost this morning, to be
supplanted by the Chamber of Com-
merce. Funeral ceremonies were
held at nine o'clock at the Elks' club
over the remains of the Retail Mer-
chants' association. At the time of
his death deceased was a thriving
youngster of twelve years standing;
nevertheless of mourners there are
none.

By the will of the deceased all
books and records, after the expenses
of the estate have been duly met and
receipts taken therefor, are to be
turned over to Secretary J. R. Kin-
sloe of the Chamber of Commerce.
More important is the disposition of
the treasury, since, despite a long
and honorable career, nothing be-
came the decedent in all his life like
the leaving of it.

Honors Taggart and Gesell

Under the direction of a commit-
tee consisting of Peter Newburg, N.
M. Scott and J. J. Felber, the money
of the association was expended for
beautiful tributes to two of the of-
ficers whose services have been long
and faithful. Charles B. Gesell, treas-
urer of the association for a term
of years, was presented with a solid
gold chain and locket with diamond
ornament, and Harry Taggart, acting
secretary for nine years, was given
a solid gold watch. Both gifts came
as a surprise to the recipients. The
committee visited Mr. Taggart and
Mr. Gesell this morning. Mr. Fel-
ber made a presentation speech in
each case.

At the meeting in the Elks' club
members of the association were un-
animous in their praise of the faith-
ful work of Secretary Taggart.

"Mr. Taggart has been the back-
bone of the association ever since I
have been a member," said N. M.
Scott this morning. "He has been
unremitting in his attention to the
needs and opportunities of the asso-
ciation. Year after year he has
fought for a free bridge, and al-
though the association has the nomi-
nal credit for the success of the
movement, the real man behind the
guns was Harry Taggart. Similarly
he kept hammering at the proposi-
tion of a "White Way" on Main
street until he got it. The credit
system which he organized has been
a great boon to La Crosse retail mer-
chants. The system is so good that
it has been adopted in other cities,
and will be used by the Chamber of
Commerce, its scope being greatly
broadened.

"Charles Gesell has been equally

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LA CRESCENT MEN
GET FOUR TEAMS
BUSY ON THE PIKE

First Concrete Activity of New
Good Roads Associa-
tion Is On
Today

ORGANIZE MONDAY NIGHT

Allen J. Cameron Is Chosen as
President; Burton Offers
Half Cost of Extend-
ing Bridge

Four teams are busy with grading
on the La Crescent pike, the first con-
crete activity of the new La Crescent
Good Roads association, which held
its organization meeting Monday
night. Further improvements on the
La Crescent pike are planned.

The meeting last night adopted a
constitution and bylaws, and elected
the following officers:

A. J. Cameron, president; A. Lilly,
vice president; J. W. Welch, secre-
tary; J. W. McCaffrey, treasurer.

The directors comprise the presi-
dent, vice president and secretary.
Patrick Fitting and William Finn,
George W. Burton, president of the
National Bank of La Crosse, was pres-
ent at the meeting. He laid before
the new association a proposition to
pay half of the cost of extending a
concrete bridge on the Dakota road.
Mr. Burton said there is about \$450
of a good roads fund collected here
which has been placed at his dis-
posal. If the association will meet
half of the expense, he will pay half
from this fund, he said.

The bridge in question is near Riv-
er Junction, north of La Crescent. It
is being cut out around the ends by
river backwater, and Mr. Burton de-
clares it needs extension on both
ends.

BULGARIANS CLASH WITH GREEKS
CLAIM FIVE GREEK TOWNS TAKEN
RUSS JOIN ITALIANS AT SALONIKASLAVS IN GREECE
AT SAME TIME THE
ITALIANS LAND

Second Contingent of Italians
Reported at Salonika Two
Days After First Body
Arrived

SIX NATIONS M E R G E

Montenegrins, British, French
Serbians, Russians and Ital-
ians Fight Side by Side
in Balkans

ATHENS, Aug. 22.—Russian troops
have landed at Salonika to join in
the allied offensive. Dispatches from
Salonika Tuesday reported that al-
lied transports arrived with the Rus-
sians as the first Italian contingent
was disembarking Sunday. A second
contingent of Italian troops has land-
ed at Salonika, according to dis-
patches received here today.

For the first time since the begin-
ning of the war, the troops of six al-
lied nations will be fighting side by
side. Serbians, Montenegrins, French
and British are already engaged on
the Balkan front and the Italians and
Russians probably will be seen in ac-
tion within a short time.

Earlier in the war landing parties
of Russian and Italian marines co-
operated with Anglo-French infantry
in occupying a small Greek fort near
Salonika.

It appears probable that the Rus-
sian force landed at Salonika was
transported either from Vladivostok
or was composed of a small detach-
ment of the Russian force recently
landed in France. It is not likely that
any large body of Russians will be
transported to the Balkan front. The
appearance of the Russians is prob-
ably for the purpose of demonstrating
the unity of the allies.

Factories Shut
Down Suddenly
When Power Stops

Short Circuit in Heavy Cable
Causes Tie-up of Indus-
tries of the
City

THOUSANDS OUT OF WORK

Tie-up Comes at 9:20 This
Morning and Not Repaired
After Six Hours of
Searching

Scores of La-Crosse factories, and
thousands of workers, were suddenly
thrown out of work Tuesday morn-
ing at 9:20, when a short-circuit
caused a tie-up of the heavy power
line of the Wisconsin-Minnesota
Light & Power company. At three
o'clock this afternoon the power
was still off.

The short circuit is believed to
have occurred somewhere near
Fourth and Badger streets, caused
by puncturing of the insulation
around the underground cable. Tapping
from manhole to manhole had
failed to locate the break, however,
after six hours of work. If found,
the damaged sections will be cut
out and the two ends spliced above
ground until the damaged portion
can be repaired.

The extent of the tie-up is indi-
cated by the fact that most of the
elevators in the business district,
the breweries, the La Crosse Gar-
ment company, La Crosse Clothing
company, B. Ott and Sons, Torrance
Foundry, the La Crosse Boot and
Shoe company and many other firms
were forced to shut down for the day.
Many of them sent their working
forces home.

GERMAN BATTLESHIP OF
NASSAU TYPE BELIEVED
SUNK BY BRITISH DIVER

LONDON, Aug. 22.—The British submarine E-23 made a successful
torpedo attack on a German battleship of the Nassau class Saturday,
the admiralty announced Tuesday evening.

It is believed the battleship was sunk. She was first attacked by
the submarine and damaged. Five destroyers came to her rescue and
were escorting her back to harbor when the British U-boat broke through
their line and again attacked the battleship.

There are four German battleships of the Nassau class, the Posen,
Rheinland, Westfalen and Nassau. They replace 12,602 tons each and
Each is 451 feet long, with a beam of 88 feet and carries a crew
of about 960. The principal battery consists of twelve eleven-inch guns.

FIVE VILLAGES
BULGAR PRIZES
IS SOFIA CLAIM

Bulgarian Statement Says Ad-
vance Was Made Because
of Activities of the
Allies

SAYS ALLIES DRIVEN BACK

Bulgar Troops Along Struma
Valley Repulse French and
British; in Vardar At-
tacks Repulsed

BERLIN, Aug. 22.—Bulgarian
and German forces have de-
feated allied troops on both
wings in the Balkans, capturing
positions from both the Ser-
bians and the French, it was of-
ficially announced Tuesday af-
ternoon.

Serbian positions near Malka
Nizeplanina were captured and
the attack was progressing. The
Serbs repeated their fruitless at-
tempts to recapture Dzemaat
Jeri, and were driven back, suf-
fering heavy losses.

In the fighting northeast of
Salonika the French were driv-
en across the Struma river be-
tween Butkova and Tahino and
the Smiznica Planina ridge cap-
tured.

BERLIN, Aug. 22.—Bulgarian
troops have captured five Greek vil-
lages and towns since the begin-
ing of their general offensive against
the allied forces in the Balkans, said an
official statement from the Bulgar-
ian war office Tuesday.

The Bulgarian statement discloses
that the advance was begun because
of the activities of the allies, who
apparently were preparing for an of-
fensive movement.

"On account of military opera-
tions of the allies in the Vardar val-
ley, extending east of the Struma
and north of Tachino Lake, our left
wing began a general offensive on
Aug. 18," it was stated.

"Bulgarian troops advanced in the
Struma valley and occupied the town
of Demirhisar (46 miles northeast
of Salonika and ten miles inside the
Greek frontier). After an engage-
ment near the town of Serres we re-
pulsed English and French forces on
the right bank of the river Struma
and occupied the left bank between
Butkova and the Tachino lakes. De-
tachments between the Struma and
Mesta advanced in accordance with
orders.

"In the Vardar valley, English
and French troops have attacked our
advanced positions for ten days with-
out success south and west of the
town of Doiran, suffering heavy losses
from our infantry and artillery
fire.

HOUSE RE-ADOPTS
ALTERED MONEY
BILL FOR ARMY

WASHINGTON, Aug. 22.—The
house Tuesday afternoon adopted
without a roll call the army appropri-
ation bill as re-introduced by Chair-
man Hay.

It is the same bill vetoed by Presi-
dent Wilson, save for the elimination
of the section exempting retired army
officers from the provisions of the
articles of war. It was to this section
the president objected.

GREEK COMMANDER
SUMMONS RESERVES
TO MEET INVADERS

Fighting Reported Going On in
the Region of Serres
Since Monday
Morning

40 MILES FROM SALONIKA

Allies Attacking on the Whole
Front, Moving Into the
Doiran Lake
Region

LONDON, Aug. 22.—Greek and
Bulgarian forces have clashed in the
region of Serres and fighting has
been going on since Monday morn-
ing, said an Exchange Telegraph dis-
patch from Athens Tuesday. A num-
ber of Greeks have been killed.

The Greek commander is sum-
moning all neighboring reserves.

This dispatch is as yet uncon-
firmed from other sources, though
Bulgarian forces are known to have
advanced to a position a few miles
north of Serres (forty miles north-
east of Salonika). The last official
dispatches reported French forces at-
tacking this Bulgarian detachment at
Barakli.

On the whole front the allies are
now attacking the Bulgarian lines,
the engagements developing into a
series of battles. In the center the
allies have pressed forward in the
Doiran lake region in a preliminary
movement toward Strumitza in
southwestern Bulgaria.

Montenegrins Fight
Montenegrin troops are fighting
beside the Serbs on the allies' right
wing. A small Montenegrin detach-
ment repulsed a Bulgarian cavalry
attack near Florin on Sunday. Of-
ficial dispatches to the French war
office report that the battle is con-
tinuing in this region where the Bul-
garians have occupied both Florin
and Banica.

Near Kavala
On the extreme right, the Bulgari-
ans are within a few hours' march
of the Greek port of Kavala and may
already have entered the city.

Increasing activity of the pro-war
party in Rumania was reported Tues-
day, though Berlin dispatches re-
peated that Germany is not uneasy
over the present situation in the
Balkans. The Greek cabinet thus far
has taken no decisive step to counter
upon the Bulgarian invasion.

LT. GEORGE HALE
HEADS RECRUITING
PARTY FROM THIRD

Are Coming Back to State to
Seek Men for Com-
mand on the
Border

CAMP WILSON, Texas, Aug. 22.—
(Special.)—Lieutenant George H.
Hale of La Crosse, second in com-
mand of Company M of the Third
Wisconsin, will head a recruiting party
from the Third regiment, which
will arrive in the state shortly to
seek new men for the Wisconsin brigade.

The recruiting detachment desig-
nated by Colonel R. A. Richards in-
cludes the following: Lieutenant Har-
ry J. Lyon, Company D; Battalion
Sergeant Major John B. Gay; Cor-
poral Marion Benedict, Company A;
Private Carl S. Cady, Company K.

68 NAMES ON PRIMARY

HELENA, Mont., Aug. 22.—Sixty-
eight names are on the ticket of the
state primary to be held here Aug.
29. There are 36 Republicans, 29
Democrats and 13 Socialist office
seekers.

Pamphlets Ready
For Contributors
To The Flag Fund

The pamphlets containing
the names of La Crosse
school children contributing
to the fund to purchase new
colors for the Third Wiscon-
sin regiment, of which Com-
panies B and M of La Crosse
are a part, have now been
completed and are ready for
distribution to the contribut-
ors. Those helping to make
up the fund will receive their
copies by calling at The
TRIBUNE office.

FATIMA

A Sensible Cigarette

Comfortable—that's why they're sensible.

As you've probably noticed, it is the keen, active-minded type of man who is particular to choose Fatimas. If you were smoking Fatimas, you would know why. You would find that Fatimas, more than any other cigarette, are comfortable while you smoke and after you smoke them.

Their delicately balanced Turkish blend makes them a sensible cigarette to smoke. Why not prove this for yourself?

Leggett, Myers Tobacco Co.

20 for 15¢



FAMOUS LILY BEDS AT M'GREGOR ARE IN FULL BLOSSOM

M'GREGOR, Iowa — Special.—

The water lily beds near McGregor have never bloomed more profusely than this summer though it was feared earlier in the season that the unusual high water would make them less beautiful than usual. Within the last two weeks literally thousands of the lilies have been gathered within a mile of McGregor. There are several beds of the yellow lilies in this vicinity. They are found at only a few places on the Mississippi and are said to be of the same species as the famous lotus lilies of the Nile.

Line Soon Finished
Work on the transmission line from McGregor to Postville will soon be completed by G. S. Donaldson, head of the McGregor Electric Light and Power company of McGregor, and the crew of men who have been at work on the line all summer. The

Thin Folks Who Would Be Fat

Increase in Weight Ten Pounds or More.

"I'd certainly give most anything to be able to eat a few pounds and stay that way," declares every excessively thin man or woman. Such a result is not impossible, despite past failures. Most thin people are victims of mal-nutrition, a condition which prevents the fatty elements of food from being taken up by the blood as they are, when the powers of nutrition are normal. Instead of getting into the blood, much of the fat and flesh producing elements stay in the intestines until they pass from the body as waste.

To correct this condition and to produce a healthy, normal amount of fat, the nutritive processes must be artificially supplied with the power which nature has denied them. This can probably best be accomplished by eating a Sargol tablet with every meal. Sargol is a careful combination of six splendid assimilative agents. Taken with meals they mix with the food to turn the sugars and starches of what you have eaten into rich, ripe nourishment for the tissues and blood and its rapid effect has been in many cases reported remarkable. Reported gains of from ten to twenty-five pounds in a single month are by no means infrequent. Yet its action is perfectly natural and absolutely harmless. Sargol is sold by Hoechst Bros. and other druggists everywhere and every package contains a guarantee of weight increase or money back.

NOTE:—Sargol is recommended only as a flesh builder and while excellent results in cases of nervous indigestion, etc., have been reported, care should be taken about using it unless a gain of weight is desired.

Authorized and \$1.00 paid by George McDonald, of West Salem, Wis.

Geo. McDonald

Republican Candidate for

SHERIFF

At Primaries Sept. 5, 1916.

extension will give electric service to the town of Luana and the farmers from Monona to Postville, a distance of ten miles. At Postville the line will connect with the electric system of the Upper Iowa Power company of Decorah and the McGregor company will buy current from them to supply McGregor, Monona and Luana and intermediate points. It is reported that the Upper Iowa Power company will erect an auxiliary plant at Postville to care for Postville, McGregor and Monona in cases of emergency.

Dies at Home
Miss Zulu Leasure died Thursday at the county home at Elkader. Her remains were brought to McGregor for burial. Miss Leasure lived in McGregor for over fifty years. Some months ago, helpless with paralysis and without relatives to care for her, she came to the county home.

Takes Scenic Photos
J. M. Clark, the new photographer who recently moved to McGregor from Dubuque, has taken a number of very fine scenic photographs in this vicinity. Some of them will be used by the Greater Iowa association as lantern slides in stereoscopic lectures on the state. The scenic photographs will also be used by the National Park association in attracting attention to the beautiful scenery about here.

McGregor Popular
More tourists have been in McGregor the last month than at any other previous time. The majority of them visit Pike's Peak. McGregor Heights and Pictured Rocks, even though they are here but for a short time. Two hundred visitors were on the Heights last Sunday. Parties from Cedar Rapids, Elgin, Clarence, Mason City, Elkader and Monona, are occupying cottages on the Heights.

Need Eleven Bridges
The contract for the construction of eleven bridges in Clayton county has been let to A. C. Boyle of this place for the sum of \$11,800. He expects to keep a large force of men at work from now until winter. His contract for rebuilding the storm sewers destroyed by the flood of June 1, is about completed.

Local and Personal
A steam heating plant has been installed in the Gill church cottage on Seventh street, and various other improvements. Chief Engineer Pence-maker of the Milwaukee road has rented the cottage for two years, and will move his family here soon.

M. J. Brennan, in charge of the section work on this part of the Milwaukee railroad has been forced by ill-health to take a vacation of several months. He will spend part

of the time with his daughter in California.

J. N. Dahm will hold a sale of livestock, farm implements, vehicles and miscellaneous articles at his home on Evergreen Hill on September 2. Mr. and Mrs. Dahm will move to town for the school year. They have rented the house on Seventh street to be vacated by the Welter family.

F. H. Allen of the Northern Iowa Produce company has taken a month's vacation and rest from work and will spend the time visiting with friends in Hobart, Ind.

J. B. Kretter and family of Giard will move to McGregor. They have rented the attractive cottage on West Main which has just been remodeled by its owner, M. X. Geske.

Mrs. Elliot is here from Ohio for a visit with relatives. Mrs. Elliot is a sister-in-law of Mrs. Minerva Sloan and an aunt of F. G. Bell and Miss Elizabeth Bell.

Miss Isabelle Boyle, who has been stenographer with the Northern Iowa Produce company for some time, has accepted a position with Gilchrist and company.

G. Bowen of Mason City, has been here to see his sister, Mrs. O. M. Buck, who is in a critical condition.

Treating Insomnia.
The latest cure for insomnia, notes the Toledo Bee, is counting your inhalations and exhalations, but the Blade is skeptical, and comments: "We do not like mutton, but expect to continue counting sheep." In case of insomnia "first aid" should be to turn on the light, take up a book and read. While this may not cure insomnia, it defies it and is gratifying to a belligerent mind.

Couldn't Take Any Chances.
"What are you doing with the lady's slipper in your pocket? Looking for a Cinderella?" "Naw; my wife wanted some stockings to match. I couldn't cut a section out of the slipper, so I had to bring the pesky thing along."

Use Coconut Oil For Washing Hair

If you want to keep your hair in good condition, be careful what you wash it with.

Most soaps and prepared shampoos contain too much alkali. This dries the scalp, makes the hair brittle, and is very harmful. Just plain mulitised coconut oil (which is pure and entirely greaseless), is much better than the most expensive soap or anything else you can use for shampooing, as this can't possibly injure the hair.

Simply moisten your hair with water and rub it in. One or two teaspoonfuls will make an abundance of rich, creamy lather, and cleanses the hair and scalp thoroughly. The lather rinses out easily, and removes every particle of dust, dirt, dandruff and excessive oil. The hair dries quickly and evenly, and it leaves it fine and silky, bright, fluffy and easy to manage.

You can get mulitised coconut oil at most any drug store. It is very cheap, and a few ounces is enough to last everyone in the family for months.



BABIES BEING CHEATED

Under present conditions one out of every eleven babies born in Wisconsin will sicken and die before the end of its first year of life. The majority of these deaths are due to carelessness and neglect—not willful neglect, but the neglect that is caused by ignorance. Only too many of the mothers in Wisconsin are woefully ignorant in the care of their babies.

The baby cannot be alternately accorded neglect and fussing over, according to the whim of the mother. There must be a definite daily routine followed in the care of the baby.

To begin with, there must be absolute cleanliness. The baby must be bathed regularly every day; in warm weather an additional sponge bath during the day helps keep the baby cool, comfortable and healthy. Give him an occasional cool, not cold drink of pure water. The baby's clothes must be clean, his bed and his room kept free from dust and germs. When he begins to creep, his face and hands must be washed frequently so that dirt may not find its way into his mouth.

The baby needs to sleep twenty hours the first months and sixteen hours, at least, at the age of one year. Let him sleep out-of-doors every day, and have his windows open at night. Keep flies and mosquitoes away. Train him to go to sleep by himself without rocking or singing. The less a baby is handled, the stronger he grows. Give him a chance to kick and squirm with his clothes off, however. He must have his own bed, too.

If possible, the baby should always be breast fed. Mother's milk is the best baby's food, and is never contaminated or influenced by the weather. If artificial feeding is absolutely necessary, only pure cow's milk, modified according to the prescription of a competent doctor, should be given. Keep the milk on ice until just before feeding when it should be warmed. Do not give prepared foods. They contain too much starch. Babies' bowels should be trained to move regularly every day.

If the baby shows symptoms of sickness, call a doctor at once. Do not attempt to doctor your own baby. Delay in getting competent care may mean serious illness or death. Only a good physician knows what to do for a sick baby, or one who threatens to be sick. Do not let the threat turn into reality—nip it in the bud by putting the child under a wise doctor's care.

First Hand.
Little Bobbie's interest in his origin was equalled only by his impatience to be grown up. One day he dashed into the house with his eyes shining. "Oh, mother," he said. "I saw God up in the sky an' he has blue eyes. I said, 'Thank you, Mr. God, for making me,' an' he said, 'That's all right, Bobbie, that's all right! You wait an' some day I'll make you into a big, big man!'"

The TRIBUNE'S Daily Short Story

THE RED PLUSH BARRIER

BY JANE OSBORN.

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It was a funny thing about Tom Barrow and Martha Brooks, and it was just because every one in town had known them since they were babies that not even the most conventional or the most prudish really took exception to their housekeeping arrangements. Probably every woman in the town knew that under similar circumstances she would have done exactly the same.

Martha Brooks was old Mrs. Barrow's niece and Tom Barrow was Mr. Barrow's nephew and, both having been left orphans in their childhood, they had been brought up with all the intimacy of brother and sister. Both had become fixtures in the old Barrow homestead. It was conveniently placed for Tom's business and Martha was intimate with the neighborhood. Besides, by the will left by Mrs. Barrow the house was left as joint property so long as both resided there. In case of the failure of either to live there, the property was to pass to the other. Neither was so well off as to be able lightly to renounce the part ownership of this shelter, so neither had taken the step.

It was nearly a year after the death of Mrs. Barrow had left them the sole tenants of the house, save for an old family servant, that Tom first discussed the subject with Martha.

"If we both hadn't acquired such a strong reputation for humdrum propriety and conventionality," he said, "I think some one might take exception to the arrangement."

Martha raised her graceful eyebrows over a pair of fine, dark eyes, and looked at Tom with an air of mild surprise. "How perfectly ridiculous! As if a woman of thirty-two and a man of thirty-five who have known each other since babyhood and have been brought up in the same house for twenty years couldn't live together without setting people's tongues wagging."

"Thirty-two," repeated Tom, not quite gallantly. "No, you aren't exactly a girl."

"And every one knows that I don't really care twopenny for you," "That is very kind, I am sure," Tom re-established the paper in front of his place and went on reading. "But you are right. No one can help see that we are not of the mold of which affinities are made. Funny— isn't it?—what makes us so indifferent."

Martha leisurely poured her second cup of coffee. "It isn't so much that, Tom," she said. "It is more that we are absolutely—how shall I say it? perhaps dissimilar in taste will do." She gave a rapid look around the heavily hung dining-room and almost shuddered as she did so. "It is that, isn't it?"

"Partly," agreed Tom, "but, of course, it is the only thing for us to do, living here together. I mean, we might get a third person in with us for respectability's sake, and I don't know whether I want to burden myself with some one else who might be even less congenial."

"No, unless you were to marry," Tom didn't answer, and for five minutes he went on reading his paper. Martha continued to sip her coffee and nibble her toast.

"At least," Tom added, as he rose to leave for his business, "we are never seen together anywhere. Goodness knows you are away from home enough without me."

"Yes, and you are home quite as seldom as I am. But don't imagine that I want you to tell me where you go."

Tom went off to his business and Molly went directly to her own room, the only room in the entire house, in fact, which she ever frequented more than was necessary. The old drawing-room, with its clumsy mahogany furniture, and red plush hangings was a nightmare to her. The library, with its shelves of antiquated law books that had belonged to Uncle Tom, appealed no more to her.

In the meantime, Martha had very definite ideas of her own as to what a house should be. It was to be sunny and livable. Instead of heavy funeral chairs and impossible stiff divans, it must possess furniture that was restful and pleasant, windows that were bright and that let in the air and sunlight, a library that was intimate and expressive of the personality of the one who used it—books that one read and that others might enjoy—in short, just exactly what the old Barrow library was not.

Martha donned her hat and cloak and, telling the old servant she would not be home for dinner, started out. She walked down the main street of the town, then through a field and then down a country lane, through an orchard and finally to a little woody retreat in the middle of which was a sunny clearing and a tiny house that might almost have been taken for a child's playhouse. In fact, it was a two-room cottage—the secret retreat of Martha. At a

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touch of her key the door yielded and she entered.

Once inside this house, Martha's entire manner changed. Donning a bright colored smock in place of her coat and hat, she began to set the small place to rights, to build a cosy open fire and to arrange the late chrysanthemums she had gathered from the old-fashioned garden at home. Here Martha spent most of her days. Her intimate friends knew of the retreat and were bound to a certain sort of secrecy, though most of them openly discussed the little house among themselves. The chief object of this secrecy was to prevent news of it from getting back to Tom.

"I wouldn't for the world hurt his feelings," she told them. "Tom and I have such absolutely opposite tastes. He just dotes on the old house, with its heavy, dreary rooms. I would no more suggest doing them over than I would having some of those heavy vines and trees cut out that make the place so frightfully dark and sunless. So I have built this place here to be my own home. Here, alone, I am happy and contented because here I can have the kind of surroundings I like—cheerfulness, sunlight, individuality and repose."

Sometimes Martha invited one or another of her women friends to spend the day or the morning or an afternoon, but on this occasion, when she had planned to do some sewing, she was alone. In spite of the fact that it was Saturday when Tom's office closed in the afternoon, she felt no need for a hasty return. It was an assured fact that he would not go home till time for dinner at night. More and more Tom had taken to spending his leisure time away from the old home.

At two o'clock she thought first of luncheon and, although she was to be alone, she opened a gate-leg table before the open fire, spread a lunch-cloth before it and arranged her tempting luncheon of toasted bread and cheese, hot chocolate and late autumn fruit. In spite of the cheerfulness and beauty of the simple surroundings, Martha felt lonely and more than once she felt that she had spoken inconsiderately. She almost wanted to apologize to Tom for having emphasized the fact of their uncongeniality.

Then it was that she heard Tom's knock at the door, for Tom it proved to be—Tom who had gone out for a country tramp and had stopped on the pretext of getting a drink of water.

"I think I felt that there was something suspicious about this cottage," he told her after Martha's hurried, half apologetic, confused explanations. "I've passed this dovecot several times and somehow it fitted so thoroughly into my own ideas of happiness and comfort that I decided I'd become acquainted with the owner. Then today I could no longer wait to know, and I trumped up that excuse about wanting a drink of water."

Meantime Martha had opened the little gate-legged table to accommodate two and was spreading an extra place for her uninvited guest.

"You see," Tom went on. "I've taken a sort of dislike to that house of ours, with its heavy vines and its hideous red plush hangings. But—funny thing—I always thought you liked it just the way it was. I think perhaps if I would have known all along that it wasn't your ideal of a home I would have felt better acquainted with you. There wasn't any one else in the world but you I could have cared for and with you there was always that barrier of red plush and the heavy vines. So I rented a wing of an old farmhouse up the road and, manlike and fool that I was, I thought I'd fix it up satisfactorily as a sort of bachelor paradise, where I could spend my leisure time reading and smoking, alone or with my friends. Of course I didn't want any one to let you know, because I thought it would offend you to know how I disliked the atmosphere of the old place. So far I have made a failure of my retreat. I wanted it to look like—well, just about like this—books and fireplace and shaded lights and sunshine. But how could a man alone make a home for himself? If I'd only known you didn't care for the old things I might have—"

"Might have what," Martha came to the rescue.

"Might have suggested doing the old house over and making a real home. What I really mean, Martha, is that I might have asked you long

ago to be my wife. I've thought of it a hundred times and even tried to tell you, but always those red velvet hangings and the damp old vines that keep the house so dark and cheerless seemed to come up between us. But here—Martha won't you forgive me for not understanding you before and won't you make me happy always?"

Martha's expression was one of archness mingled with newly awakened sympathy and understanding. "Still," she added, "in spite of those red plush barriers I think I have been just a little bit in love with you for ever so long."

"Temperance and labor are the two real physicians of man,"—Rousseau.

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2—Sunday 9,526 17—Mon 9,857

3—Mon 9,551 18—Tues 9,871

4—Tues 9,582 19—Wed 9,906

5—Wed 9,614 20—Thur 9,916

6—Thur 9,642 21—Fri 9,924

7—Fri 9,674 22—Sat 9,998

8—Sat 9,702 23—Sunday 10,062

9—Sunday 9,731 24—Mon 10,154

10—Mon 9,754 25—Tues 10,207

11—Tues 9,787 26—Wed 10,256

12—Wed 9,811 27—Thur 10,294

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James Thompson

Notary Public.

WEATHER

U.S. Weather Bureau

Sunrise tomorrow, 5:18 a. m.

Sunset tomorrow, 6:57 p. m.

Yesterday's Temperatures

High, 96; low, 61; precipitation, 0.

Forecasts

For Wisconsin: Fair tonight and Wednesday. Cooler tonight in east and south portions. Slightly warmer Wednesday in west portion.

For Minnesota: Fair and continued cool tonight. Wednesday fair with rising temperature.

For Wednesday: Fair tonight and Wednesday. Cooler tonight in east and central portions. Rising temperature Wednesday in west and central portions.

Weather Conditions

The storm has moved from the plains states to the upper lake region accompanied by rain and followed by rapidly rising temperature, clearing and much cooler weather.

The hot wave this morning extends from northeastern Michigan to the middle and north Atlantic coast.

It is generally clear this morning except through a narrow strip extending from Texas to Lake Superior where it is cloudy to partly cloudy.

The western high will cause fair and cooler weather in this section tonight and Wednesday.

River Bulletin

Flood

Stage Height Change

St. Paul 14 5.2 0.0

Reeds Landing 12 3.5 0.0

La Crosse 12 4.6 0.0

St. Louis 30 10.4 -0.9

New Orleans 18 5.6 -0.1

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The Searchlight

COLLAPSIBLE SHOVEL

An ingenious inventor has found the ordinary form of shovel capable of improvement. He makes the blade adjustable to any desired angle by pressing a spring in the handle. For digging a ditch or hole, the blade is kept straight down. As the hole becomes larger the blade is changed to form an angle with the handle so that it can be used as a spoon in removing the loose dirt as it accumulates. This inclined blade is also useful in excavating shallow trenches such as are used in irrigated lands for the quick distribution of water.

Call the Car

The late Gilman Marston of New Hampshire was arguing a complicated case and looked up authorities back to Julius Caesar. At the end of an hour and a half, in the most intricate part of his plea, he was pained to see what looked like inattention. It was as he had feared. The judge was unable to appreciate the nice points of his argument.

"Your honor," he said, "I beg your pardon, but do you follow me?"

"I have so far," answered the judge, shifting wearily about in his chair, "but I say frankly that if I thought I could find my way back I'd quit right here."

Texas Borders Arkansas

"Trees!" scoffed the visitor in the east. "Why, you fellows have never seen a really big tree. Now, in the west we have them of a fair size. Oh, yes. Why, I remember, out in Texas, they felled one across a ravine over which it would have cost too much



NO POLITICAL DIVIDENDS HERE

It will be remembered that in the first year of the Wilson administration when a financial stringency threatened, with the possibility of a panic such as the country saw in 1907, Secretary McAdoo wisely resorted to the emergency currency law.

That statute was passed in 1908 toward the close of the Roosevelt administration, and was devised to meet in the future just such an emergency as confronted the country in the fall of 1907 by providing for the issue, on deposit of approved security, of a retrievable form of real currency, instead of the miscellaneous forms of improvised bank scrip that took the place of money during the panic.

The emergency currency law resulted from the lesson of the panic and was meant to forestall the possibility of another "money famine."

It was a strictly republican measure strongly urged by President Roosevelt, and opposed by the democrats as a dishonest device of the money devil of Wall street, etc. Curiously enough, a democratic administration was the first to invoke it as a panic preventer, and as such it answered every calculation and promise of its framers.

An esteemed correspondent noting this excellent use made by the democrats of a law which they so bitterly fought and well nigh defeated seven years before, asks what was Senator La Follette's attitude toward the bill when President Roosevelt was urging its passage. Mr. La Follette's attitude was precisely what might be expected. It was against that bill that he made his famous filibuster, breaking all records with a speech eighteen hours and forty-three minutes long in his effort to talk the measure to death.—Milwaukee Sentinel.

Yes, yes! Go on, go on!

During the temporary application of that law that tended to afford some relief to emergencies it was certain to create, there was in the making a new law reorganizing the finances of the United States upon a permanently sound basis—not perfect in detail, but a law that took from Wall street its stranglehold upon the country's money.

And it was the knowledge that this relief was in the making, as much as the application of the "T. R." makeshift, that tided the nation over the bad spot; more than either, it was the natural resumption of business brought about by the foreign stimulus.

Really, now, wouldn't it be wise for friends of Mr. Jeffris to remain silent about Senator La Follette's fight against the Al-drichian money grab?

ALWAYS "PEP" IN GALESVILLE FAIR

Mr. Ben W. Davis anticipates the pleasure of your attendance on the occasion of the marriage of Miss Good Time

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Ben Davis always finds a unique way to sing the praises of the Galesville fair. That above is his 1916 way. There should be a good attendance at the nuptials, even should only the friends of Ben Davis participate, but beside these thousands there will be other thousands who know Ben only by reputation.

The county fair is a valuable agency for the promotion of industry, but perhaps its greater value is in the field of acquaintance. It gets people together, makes for exchange of ideas, for co-operation, for civic oneness and community building. Conversely, they disclose the life that is worth living and ways to acquire the wherewith to live the desirable life.

This reaches out from the fair to the towns and country about. It reaches to La Crosse. It draws together people who think and who want something to think about. Than the Galesville fair there is none better, and La Crosse should "be there with lard in its hair."

DECEPTION REBUKED

Upon the first page of this paper appears a letter in which the Wisconsin Republican club flatly repudiates the local STAL-WART organization which styles itself "The La Crosse County Republican club". Of course it is but the biennial swiping of the party name by the Philipp faction. It puts forth a "republican ticket" which does not contain the names of such republican leaders and candidates as Senator La Follette, former Governor McGovern, Senator Hatton, former Speaker Merlin Hull, Lieut. Gov. Edward Dithmar, Atty. Gen. Walter S. Owens and others. Every man on its "ticket" helped to put the pat in standpatter.

It is the right of the stalwarts to organize in support of their ideas and candidates. We have no quarrel with that. Indeed, to do so is an activity of citizenship. But they have no right to steal the name of party organization for factional purposes, or to masquerade in official regalia that belongs to neither faction, but to the party as a whole. They have no right to use in primary fights official styles which the law recognizes only after the primary has declared who are the party candidates.

The public must be protected against the misrepresentations implied in the improper use of party titles. There is needed an amendment to the corrupt practices act.

to build a bridge! Well, the just hollowed out the tree, and had a dandy bridge.

Exclamations of surprise and incredulity from his wide audience.

"Sure, I know it was a fact, because I've often driven across it!"

Movie Actresses and Their Hair

Did it ever occur to you that every movie actress you have seen has lovely hair, while the most popular count their curls as their chief beauty? In fact, (this is a secret), many are leading ladies just because of their attractive locks. Inquiry among them discloses the fact that they bring out all the natural beauty of their hair by careful shampooing, not with any soap or makeshift, but with a simple mixture which they make up for themselves by putting a teaspoonful of canthrox, (which they get from the druggist), in a cup of hot water and applying this instead of soap. After its use their hair dries rapidly, with uniform color. Dandruff, excess oil and dirt are dissolved and entirely disappear. The hair is so fluffy that it looks much heavier than it is. Its lustre and softness is delightful, while the stimulated scalp gains the health which insures hair growth.

Making Friends.

This making of friends is one of the best things about a vacation. It is just as truly recreating your life as is the muscular exercise and the opening of your lungs to deep drafts of pure air. It is opening you: out to fresh human influence, widening your sympathies, giving you one more anchor to windward, one more stake in life. All that may be put down with the friendship possibilities of a vacation, and with all that store of new health to seek, it oughtn't to be necessary to say much about the kind of friend to look for. There is only one kind of friend worth having—only one kind worth bothering about even for the pastime of a week or two.

"Unless we perform divine service with every willing act of our life, we never perform it at all."—John Ruskin.

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Quips and Cranks and Wanton Wiles

Knew the Cost of It

A well known naval dignitary has a beautiful daughter. A young ensign, with no resources but his salary, fell in love with her, and asked the old man for her hand. The father at once taxed him with the fact that he had only his salary—hardly enough to keep him in white gloves and to burnish his brass buttons.

"Well, admiral, what you say is true. But when you married you were only a midshipman with even a smaller salary than mine. How did you get along?" asked the ensign, who thought he had made a most diplomatic defense.

But not so. The crafty old seadog thundered forth. "I lived on my father-in-law for the first ten years; but I'll be hanged if you are going to do it!"

Out of the Mouths of Kids

A Chicago man tells of calling on a young lady very early one spring morning. He had come in his automobile and he wanted to give the young lady a morning spin through the country. A little girl, the young lady's niece answered the bell.

"Is your auntie in?" asked the man.

"Yes, sir."

"That's good. Where is she?"

"She's upstairs," said the little girl, "in her nightgown, looking over the banisters."

Self-Assured Artist

Robbie was very busy with paper and pencil.

"What are you doing, Robbie?" asked mother.

"Making a picture of God."

"But, Robbie, nobody knows how God looks."

"They will when I get my picture done," replied Robbie confidentially.

Economical Mabel

Percy (sitting on the parlor sofa with Mabel by his side)—It's just this way, Miss Mabel: I truly wish to get married, but above all things, the girl who consents to be my wife must be economical.

Mabel—Say, Percy, this is getting interesting. Wait a moment till I turn down the gas.—St. Louis Dispatch.

THE TRIBUNE'S DAILY TRAVELETTE

(By Nicksab)

TARASCON

Some time in the days when people still traveled in Europe for pleasure you may have passed through the little city of Tarascon on your way north from Marseilles. You remember the wide empty main street with the little houses set far back in the scanty shade of the plane-trees, and the row of drowsing carriage-drivers drawn up in the center of the roadway, who offered to show you all the sights between trains—"only forty minutes."

No doubt you gave Tarascon a comprehensive glance, and decided to stay with the train. By so doing you missed many interesting things; and it was your own fault, for at the slightest encouraging sign the coachman would have reeled off his catalog of attractions—the castle of King Rene, the shrine of St. Martha, the neighboring castle of Beaulieu—but there is an extra charge for taking you to Beaulieu—and finally, as a grand climax, the local monster, the local pride and distinction, the tarasque.

The tarasque is a beast of family and genus unknown to biology; he is one of the creatures who have never been on sea or land. He dwells securely locked in a house of his own, and he is a monster of such unusual and formidable architecture that you will dream about him at night.

The tarasque is a child of legend blossomed into concrete form. He is inseparably associated with St. Martha, whose shrine is the other local landmark. Back in the days of fable, when dragons ranged the earth, the tarasque held high rank in the fire-breathing fraternity. He ravaged the country around Tarascon in the most approved fashion, until St. Martha came along and tamed him and led him by a string.

In the middle ages the people of Tarascon revived the old legend and constructed a new tarasque which they led through the streets at carnival times, to show how St. Martha had conquered. This custom lived until recently, and this symbolic brute is the one whom you view in his stable today. He is the size of a small locomotive, with a vastly ferocious cast of countenance. The sight of him gives you a great respect for St. Martha.

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PRUDENCE OF THE PARSONAGE

By ETHEL HUESTON

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"Lark and I are going to use some of Fairy's powder, father," she said.

"We feel that we simply must on an occasion like this. And for goodness sake, don't mention it before Him! It doesn't happen very often, you know, but today we simply must. Now, don't you say anything about falling in the flour barrel, or turning pale all of a sudden, whatever else you do. We'd be so mortified, father."

Mr. Starr was concerned with weightier matters, and went on down to Prudence with never so much as a reproving shake of the head for the worldly-minded young twins.

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"Fairy!" exclaimed Prudence. "Besides, he must come in to get his coat. We can't expect him to go coatless over Sunday. Listen—listen, girls! Look, Fairy, and see if that is he. Yes, it is, I know—I can tell by his walk." Warm rich color dyed her face and throat, and she clasped her hands over her heart, wondering if Connie beside her could hear its tumult.

"I'll go to the door," said Father Starr, and Prudence looked at him beseechingly.

"I am sure he is all right, father. I—you will be nice to him, won't you?"

Without answering, Mr. Starr left the room. He could not trust his voice.

"Listen, girls, I want to hear," whispered Prudence. And she smiled as she heard her father's cordial voice.

"You are Mr. Harmer, aren't you? I am Prudence's father. Come right in. The whole family is assembled to do you honor. The girls have already made you a prince in disguise. Come back this way. Prudence is resting very nicely."

When the two men stepped into the sitting-room, Prudence, for once, quite overlooked her father. She lifted her eyes to Jerrold Harmer's face, and waited, breathless. Nor was he long in finding her among the bevy of girls. He walked at once to the bed, and took her hand.

"My little comrade of the road,"

PRUDENCE OF THE PARSONAGE

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Mrs. Anna Hanson entertained Mesdames Ed Sebo, Ed Pfaff, Louie Baldwin, Ebbie Erickson, Claude Welda, Carl Klase, Mrs. Hedda Johnson and Mrs. K. B. Erickson to coffee Tuesday afternoon.

The ice cream social given on the school grounds Wednesday was well attended. \$18.00 was taken in.

Mr. and Mrs. William Olson visited Ole Olson at the Lutheran hospital Tuesday. They report that he is getting along nicely.

Mrs. Lawrence Frank and Mrs. Carrie Olson were guests of Miss Minnie Mansergh Tuesday and Wednesday.

Mr. and Mrs. F. J. Ruland were business callers at La Crosse Tuesday.

Lilah Ruland and Harry Hanson were callers at West Salem Tuesday. Mr. and Mrs. Walter Young and

Maynard Heider from West Salem assisted the Storaandt children with their school work.

Mesdames Geo. Hicks, James Hicks and Ed Stilson from Idaho, are visiting friends and relatives here.

Bert Morley and Valentine Kepple were here Tuesday repairing telephone lines.

Billy Underhill is on the sick list. Mr. Fred Hesse had the misfortune to fall and break several ribs Friday forenoon.

Little Mary Janet McDonald has scarlet fever.

Mrs. Volbreck and daughter, Anna, from Fountain City, are guests at the Kepple home, also Mrs. Kepple's grandmother from Milwaukee.

George McDonald was through here Thursday buying stock.

Mrs. Martha Paisley is visiting at Frank Amborn's near Melrose.

Mrs. Victor Rhodes is visiting with friends at West Salem this week. Herman Fischer from La Crosse, was seen on our streets Thursday. Mrs. Nelson Welda and Mrs.

Frank Fox and daughter, Gladys, from West Salem, visited here the latter part of last week.

F. M. Sisson was a La Crosse visitor Friday.

John Dale, Alex Hanson, George Harper and Roscoe Fuller were La Crosse callers Thursday.

STATE CONVENTION IN MISSOURI

JEFFERSON CITY, Mo., Aug. 22.—In conformity with the provisions of Missouri's primary law the several political parties held their state conventions Tuesday to ratify the results of the recent primary and prepare their platforms.

P. A. VALENTINE DEAD

OCONOMOYOC, Wis., Aug. 22.—Patrick A. Valentine, 55, former vice president of Armour & Co., and recently a resident of New York city, died at his summer home here Monday night. Funeral services will be held here privately Wednesday.

MAUSTON SOLDIER BACK FROM LINE

MAUSTON, Wis.—(Special.)—C. P. Sylvester, a member of Company D, Third Wisconsin infantry, stationed at San Antonio, Texas, came home Saturday evening. His enlistment has expired.

Sylvester is an electrician and at one time was superintendent of the Mauston Electric Power company. He is present in the electric supply business.

Tie in 14 Innings
Under a boiling sun, when the thermometer stood at 92 in the shade, the local ball team, under the management of M. F. Timbers, met the Elroy Locals at Elroy Sunday. It was a fast and clean game, in fact one of the fastest played in this vicinity this season. At the close of the fourteenth inning the two teams decided to call the game, the score being 3 to 3.

It is understood that they are to finish for honors at an early date, perhaps next Sunday. The batteries were: Elroy, Flood and Sherin; Mauston, McGarty and Stickney.

Two Cars Smashed
At 8 o'clock Thursday evening an auto accident occurred on a highway north of here in which two cars featured. A car driven by E. W. Bradley and another driven by Wm. Sullivan collided at an intersection of the highway. Both cars received one broken wheel. One had its front axle badly bent as well as lights demolished. No one was hurt, although all of the occupants received a bad scare and a severe shaking up.

On Friday morning, while on a return trip from Waukegan, Karl Sharp and Clayton Ely featured in the second auto accident in one day. At a turnpike they came upon three boys in the road. Upon sounding the warning one young lad failed to respond. Sharp in avoiding him gave the wheel a sudden turn, also immediately putting on all brakes. The result was that the car turned turtle. The young men suffered slight injuries and came smiling into town, driving the same car, but minus a wind shield.

Small Fire
The third fire alarm within ten days was sounded at 7:30 o'clock on Monday morning. Through an accident a gasoline range in the lunch room of J. P. Robertson caught fire while H. Galvin was generating it. In a few minutes the entire room was filled with smoke. Firemen arrived in time but the blaze had already been subdued. The chemical division was on the job as usual.

Start in Arlington
Monday the first spade was put into the ground at the new subdivision, Arlington Heights. The large crew of men under P. R. Buchholz and M. C. Shilling, the promoters, who arrived early Monday morning, are quite busy at grading.

Local and Personal
Miss Mary Wetherby of Milwaukee is visiting friends and relatives this week.

H. R. Steiner has arrived to locate a home and begin his duties as the new principal of schools.

Fred Krueger and wife of La Crosse are guests of Mrs. Krueger's mother for a few days.

Pat Malone, the Irish orator, is here for three nights, giving addresses on anti-Catholic topics.

Miss Mae Underwood is visiting at Elroy.

"THE SUMMER GIRL" TO BE SEEN AT THE BIJOU WEDNESDAY

"The Summer Girl," a fantastical farce comedy, directed by Edwin August, with Mollie King and Arthur Ashley in the leading roles, will be the attraction coming at the Bijou theater on Wednesday and Thursday, this week. In this picture Miss King and Mr. Ashley appear in by far to the best advantage of their motion picture careers.

The story deals with a rich young girl who goes down South to spend the winter, plays the role of a mischievous young country girl, falls in love with an artist, poor but honest.

As success crowns the efforts of the latter, he seeks Mary, his country girl idol, only to find that she has gone to the city. From the laundress where Mary stopped, the artist learns her identity, and how she had outwitted. Succeeding in getting her address, he seeks her out, and after a thrilling courtship, makes her his wife.

The production was directed entirely by Edwin August, and is a beautiful spring and summer scene amid the daisy patches and running brooks were taken at Asheville, North Carolina. The story was written by L. V. Jefferson.

CALEDONIA TEAM BEATS LA CROSSE IN CLOSE CONTEST

CALEDONIA, Minn.—(Special.)—In the best exhibition of baseball seen on the local field this year, Caledonia defeated the La Crosse Athletics Sunday by a score of 6 to 1. Fast fielding, hard hitting and excellent head work featured the contest from beginning to end. Though the Athletics played clean and masterly ball at every stage, they were unable to get by with either hits or runs, being able to tickle Eiken's delivery for only three safe ones in the entire game.

La Crosse was first to score in their half of the second, on a pair of singles, a sacrifice and an error.

From then on they were only able to place three men on first, one on walk, and the other two on errors by Caledonia's third baseman. In the early stages of the game Caledonia found it difficult to land on Evenson, being forced to resort to the squeeze play to force their first and third runs over, when two perfect bunts by Eiken and Merlo moved the runners up from third. As the game advanced so did the quality of the slugging and before the game ended the Commercial had six runs to their credit, and had nicked Evenson for ten healthy clouts.

Williams was again the giant with the stick, getting a double in the second and in the seventh with two out ahead of him he walloped a beautiful long low drive clear over the right field fence for a "home."

"Tiny's" big stick was responsible for the four remaining runs that Caledonia acquired. His catch of Week's hard hit drive in the eighth was immense. Evenson struck out three, gave no base on balls and allowed ten hits. Eiken struck out four, issued two walks and held the Athletics to a meagre three hits.

Mrs. Anna Mandersheid, whose home is at Alexandria, S. D., is here on a visit to her sister, Mrs. Phil Schmitt.

Miss Eva Koob returned to her home at Evanston, Ill., after a short visit here with friends and relatives.

Miss Margaret Felton, who is employed at St. Joseph's convent at Dubuque, Ia., is home on a visit. She was accompanied by Sisters Anselma and Chantotte and Miss Agnes Fabricius, who are spending their vacation here.

Rev. and Mrs. Geo. Scheitel of Echo, Minn., are visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Geo. Burmeister.

J. P. Lommen of this city had quite an experience last Sunday night. He and his hired man, Mike Schartz, were returning home with his team when out near the Walter Goergen place, an auto owned by a man from Decatur, came along. Owing to the big clouds of dust which prevented them from seeing the team they crashed into the team, injuring the horses so that one had to be shot on the place. The other one is badly hurt. The occupants of the car were also severely cut from the broken glass of the wind shield.

Local and Personal
Rudolph Kelve, violinist, and John Bates, pianist, will give a concert at the opera house Friday night at 8:30 p. m.

Mr. and Mrs. John Duffy and son, Ed, motored to Brownsville Sunday and spent the day with friends and relatives.

Mrs. D. Sprague entertained the Ombre club last Friday at Egbert in a most delightful manner. At 5 o'clock the guests including Mr. and Mrs. F. B. Collins, Mr. and Mrs. E. C. Hellickson, Mr. and Mrs. F. A. Duxbury, Mr. and Mrs. D. C. Merlo, Mr. and Mrs. Chas. Metcalf, Mr. and Mrs. Adolph Eiken, Mr. and Mrs. J. E. Stenehjem, Mr. and Mrs. Odine Blexrud, Mrs. G. E. Dorival, Mrs. Cora Cochran, Messrs. W. W. Bel-den, E. A. and R. D. Sprague drove down in automobiles and enjoyed a picnic supper served by Mrs. R. D. Sprague, assisted by Mrs. E. A. Sprague, Mrs. P. E. Goergen and Miss Katherine Latham. Then, having chosen partners by matching old-fashioned nosegays, they took their places at the card tables. When it

got to be dusk the grounds were beautified by Japanese lanterns and candles. Everything had been carefully planned and arranged and carried out by the capable and charming hostess and her able assistants.

Mrs. Robert Shadboldt was hostess to a number of guests at a Sunday light luncheon at her home. The guests who enjoyed the hospitality of the Shadboldt farm were Mr. and Mrs. E. A. Sprague and family and their guest, May Trogstad, from La Crosse, Mr. and Mrs. C. J. A. Dav- and guests, Mr. and Mrs. P. A. Dav- and guests, Mr. and Mrs. Wood, Ned Smith and guest, Mrs. Utley from Manchester, Kan. Mrs. Utley from Lancaster, Pa., Mr. and Mrs. R. D. Sprague and children, Bobo-gene and Janet, Mrs. E. V. Farrington of Preston, and Miss Elsie Latham.

The F. B. Collins and C. W. Metcalf families picked Sunday at Egbert.

Henry Rudolph of Freeburg, was a business visitor here last Friday.

Wm. Schimmers, whose home is at Olivia, Minn., came Saturday to see his mother, who has been quite ill for some time.

Mrs. John Serres, Sr., came over from La Crosse Saturday to spend Sunday with Mrs. Cath. M. Schmitt and daughter, Mary.

Master Alfred Palen, who has been visiting with the Pirsch family for some time, returned to his home at Dubuque on Monday.

Miss Josie Lommen was a visitor at Spring Grove over Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Eugene Schwebach of Dell Rapids, S. D., arrived here last week for a visit with the Frank Burg and Phil Schwebach families.

Frank Koenig left Monday morning for Lewiston, Minn., for a visit with his brothers, John and Peter.

Miss Annette Schulte left last week for St. Paul to visit her brother, Ben, who resides there, and her sister, Mayme, who is working in a wholesale millinery establishment.

Last Thursday at the Zion church at Eitzen, Minn., occurred the marriage of Bernhard Feil and Edna Brumm, Rev. Paul Lawrence officiating. They were attended by Ella Brumm as maid of honor, and Otto Feil, best man. The other attendants were Elizabeth Burmeister and Leo Brumm and Beata Burmeister Walter Feil. A large number of invited guests celebrated the event at the home of the bride's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Albert Brumm.

MABEL MEN TRY TO FORM A BAND

MABEL, Minn.—(Special.)—A few of the business men here are trying to organize a band, but it seems slow work. A few years ago Mabel had a very good band, but because of lack of support the boys became discouraged and disbanded.

A. L. Tollefson and A. Wingate

AGED VETERAN LISTED AS DESERTER BY ERROR AT LAST IS PENSIONED

M'GREGOR, Iowa.—(Special.)—There is rejoicing in the heart and home of an aged veteran living near McGregor over a letter received from the war department.

To have served four years in the army and fought in seventy-five battles, to have received a crooked arm and crushed skull in the service and contracted a disease which has made him a sufferer for fifty years and yet have been branded disloyal and undeserving a pension has been the lot of Edward Looby. By special act of congress of about August 14 the stigma unjustly attached to his war record has been blotted out and soon the pension he has long asked for, will come. The promise of financial help in his few remaining years is welcome news to the old soldier who handicapped by ill-health has had a long hard fight against poverty, but his joy is greater over the removal of a charge of desertion which has made the years bitter to him.

Four Years in War
On July 25, 1860, Mr. Looby enlisted at New York, N. Y., for five years; he was assigned to Battery B, Second artillery and was discharged from the service July 14, 1864 at City Point, Va., in order to re-enlist. This he did on the same day and in the same battery for three years. Six weeks later, on August 28, he was given a two weeks furlough and came to Farmersburg, near McGregor, to visit a brother. Shortly after arriving he was taken

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COMING
"Peg-o-the-Ring"
Serial, with Francis Ford and Grace Cunard, who took the parts of Kitty and Count Frederick in the "Broken Chain." This is reported as being even better.

called on Spring Grove friends Friday.

Wednesday, August 30th, the play "The Girl He Couldn't Buy" will be given here in the opera house.

P. C. Johnson is now driving a Buick Six.

Albert Ellingson is the owner of a new car.

M. Torgren lost a front wheel of his car when some one passed him the other night. The offender sped on not even saying, "Excuse me."

Theodore Scofield was a Mabel caller Saturday.

Ralph Rasmussen visited here with his father, A. M. Rasmussen on Saturday.

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**LOW WIRE CAUSES
SKULL FRACTURE
AT SPRING GROVE**

SPRING GROVE, Minn.—(Special.)—William Wenig of Dorchester received a fracture of the skull Friday afternoon while driving a load of hay. A telephone wire was hanging so low that the standard for the hay rack caught the wire, and when the wire broke it flew back and hit Mr. Wenig on the side of the head, knocking him unconscious. He was brought to this village, where Drs. Helland and Nelson performed an operation, lifting part of the bone from the brain.

He is at present at the Hensrud home under the care of a trained nurse, Miss Hensrud, and is doing as well as can be expected.

Miss Olga Khome, while learning to drive her father's car, slid off the high embankment near Hesper, upsetting the machine and spilling the family out. Those who accompanied Miss Khome were her father, mother and three sisters. No one was injured.

Local and Personal
Ingeman Muller autotied to Dorchester and Quandahl Friday morning.

Albert J. Raak departed for Wilmont, Minn., where he will seek a location for his business. Mr. Raak sold out his interest recently in a store at Jackson.

Peter Thompson of Mabel died suddenly Wednesday afternoon of Bright's disease. He was 49 years of age and leaves a widow and four children to mourn his death.

Adolph Tollefson of Mabel was a caller of this village Friday morning.

John Schmitt, the La Crosse land man, is here this week looking after his interests here.

L. D. Johnson returned from Rochester the latter part of this week.

Dr. Erickson and wife and children visited here with friends Thursday.

It is reported that Casimir Gorgen, who was accidentally shot in the hip last week, will recover. His condition has shown a marked improvement and physicians say he is over the critical stage.

Rev. S. F. Kerfoot, D. D., president of the Hamline university of Minnesota, will deliver the sermon in the M. E. church Sunday at Caledonia.

Miss Maggie McCormick is spending her vacation at Caledonia with her brother.

Mrs. J. E. Radcliffe of Wheeling, W. Va., is visiting at the home of her Brother Bert Lewis and family east of this village.

Mr. and Mrs. P. A. Davis and children of Minneapolis are visiting at the home of C. J. Wheaton near Caledonia this week.

Helen Maulnix of Caledonia autotied through here Saturday afternoon.

E. J. Foss and Olaf Kjelund left for Elbow Lake Friday afternoon for an extended visit with friends and relatives.

Walter Deters and wife and Lars Sylling and wife, autotied to Decorah to attend the fair held there.

Shock threshing is almost finished here; there has been ideal weather so far. Some of the grain was cut and threshed without getting any rain on it.

Rudolph Kvelve and John Bates have arranged for a series of concerts to be given in the near future here and the neighboring towns.

C. J. Scofield went to Harmony Saturday to attend the funeral of W. T. Burmeister.

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Mr. and Mrs. George Hofman and family, Jacob Dabold and Christie Dabold, left for Hokah Sunday to spend the day with C. J. Scofield and family.

Ove Hoegh and family and Miss Sena Hanson left for Chicago Monday for a visit. Miss Hanson will remain for an indefinite time.

Mrs. C. J. Sylling entertained a few of her friends Saturday afternoon at a coffee party.

Oscar Nelson returned Saturday evening after a few weeks' vacation at different parts of Minnesota.

Albert Larson was a Caledonia caller Saturday.

The Larson brothers are threshing at Duffy Benson.

Dr. Green, John Akre and K. Lee were Decorah callers Friday and took in the races held there.

**STATE ENGINEER
WITH COUNTY DADS
ON HIGHWAY TOUR**

A. R. Hirst and F. T. Donaghey Leave with Supervisors on Annual Road Inspection

State Highway Engineer A. R. Hirst and F. T. Donaghey of the highway commission were with the auto-loads of supervisors which started out Tuesday morning on the second annual tour of the county's roads and bridges. County Clerk Bert A. Jolivette and members of the road and assessment committees of the county board made up the rest of the party.

The junketers began their work on St. Joseph's Ridge. From there they were to swing south and circle over the rest of the county. They will cover practically every road in the county to gain first-hand information as to its condition. Their findings will be used in basing recommendations to the county board concerning road and bridge appropriations for 1917.

Members of the roads and bridges committee are A. N. Moore, Adolph Nuttleman, L. C. Holm, William Schams, Orrin Fletcher, A. T. Mathewson, F. W. Storandt, the assessment committee is composed of John Kindley, Fred Walters, W. C. Winter, B. J. Skogan, J. H. Schubert, W. G. Dawson and George H. Carr.

SOCIETY

BIRTHDAY SURPRISE
A party of friends invaded the home of Mr. and Mrs. Mike Hetzeneker, 816 Winnebago street, Saturday evening for the purpose of celebrating the birthday anniversary of Mr. Hetzeneker. In the party were the Messrs. and Mesdames H. Platz, S. J. Platz, J. Nack, L. J. Padke, R. Ratz, and P. Peterson. Misses Dorothy Peterson, Vera and Leone Radke and Frieda Nack and the Messrs. E. Ortmeyer, Al Novak and J. Knutson.

FATHER JOHNSON ON VACATION
Father Johnson left last evening for New York to be gone for two or three weeks. The Rev. W. H. Decker, of the Isle of Pines, Cuba, now spending his vacation at Viroqua, will supply Christ church during the Rector's absence, the Sunday services being held as usual. There will be no week-day services until Father Johnson's return.

SOCIAL BRIEFS
Miss Julia Kreeck and brothers, Joseph and Eddie, have returned to their home in Chicago after a week's visit here with their aunt and uncle, Mr. and Mrs. Wenzel Roubik, Jr., 1226 South Eleventh street.

Misses Honora Happel and Charlotte Butsch have returned home from a visit with friends and relatives in Chicago and Milwaukee.

Mrs. M. Sievert, 822 South Fourth street, went to Easton, Minn., Monday evening, called there by the illness of her mother, Mrs. William Kinsley.

Wilhelmina Has Finest Complexion in Europe
Queen Wilhelmina of Holland, who will be 36 this month, is often referred to as the queen with the finest complexion in Europe, and people often wonder how she manages to keep the wonderful girlish freshness of her skin. It is all due, it appears, to her having adopted the Dutch Indies custom of taking lemon baths. A dozen lemons are squeezed into the bath, with the addition of eau-de-cologne and various scents, making a highly invigorating and cleansing compound which is now popular not only with the Queen but with Dutch society beauties in general, who as a class are also favored in the matter of skin texture and tint.

Makes Good in the Business World
Among the women who are making good in the business world, Mrs. Anna F. Wood of Chicago holds an enviable place. She is manager and sole owner of two large tearooms and candy-shops which bring her a net earning of \$25,000 a year or more. An income which rivals many railroad magnates or bank presidents. All this has been accomplished in seven years, during which time she has been in business for herself. Previous to that she had worked for

**RUSSIANS CLAIM
CAUCASUS GAINS**

PETROGRAD, Aug. 22.—The Russians have made considerable progress in the Caucasus fighting west of Lake Van and in the eastern Euphrates valley, it was officially announced Tuesday. Many Persian irregulars were taken prisoners. The Turks were defeated in the region of Uchnu and Kalapassova. The situation on the Austro-German front is unchanged.

**HUGHES ALREADY
HAS TRAVELED FAR**

BY PERRY ARNOLD
(United Press Staff Correspondent)
BAKERSFIELD, Cal., Aug. 22.—Charles E. Hughes, republican presidential nominee, started a little more than three weeks ago to make a ten thousand mile campaign trip, but he has already covered pretty nearly all of that mileage and just began to hit the trail back across the continent.

Speaking at several California towns Tuesday on his way to Sacramento and Reno, the candidate dwelt on his charge of democratic inefficiency in tariff legislation.

Twelve thousand packed Shrine auditorium to the doors and thronged into the streets outside, unable to gain admittance, when Hughes spoke at Los Angeles Monday night. Democratic tariff ideas were attacked vigorously by him and he asserted that only the European war prevented them from wrecking many American industries.

Settle the "What to eat question" these warm days with **Uneeda Biscuit**—the crisp, perfectly baked soda cracker. Eat them at any time, in any way, with anything. All grocers.

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North Side Briefs

O'Neil Shoe Store. Trading stamps. Mr. and Mrs. F. Selchow and children have returned to their home, 1342 Charles street, from Baraboo, where they have been the guests of relatives and friends.

Miss Marie Stewart, who has been visiting at the home of Mr. and Mrs. George Nutting, 1839 Kane street, has returned to her home in Midway.

Miss Ida Kohn, Fountain City, is the guest of friends on the north side.

Miss Kathryn Snyder, 1026 Avon street, spent Sunday in Lansing.

Morris Knutson has returned to his home, 1412 Caledonia street, after spending the past week camping on French Island.

Mrs. John Cary, who has been the guest of relatives and friends in Milwaukee, has returned to her home, 1017 Berlin street.

Mr. and Mrs. P. A. Pilger, who spent the past week camping on French Island, have returned to their home, 1823 Wood street.

Mrs. J. Morrison, who has been visiting friends in Milwaukee, has returned to her home, 932 Caledonia street.

Mrs. E. Knutson and daughter Evelyn have returned to their home on the north side after a visit with friends in Sparta.

Miss Hulda Swenson, Lansing, is renewing north side acquaintances.

N. G. Hellsaple has returned from a visit in Camp Douglas.

Chester Blystad, 1225 Avon street, who has been employed at the federal fisheries at Homer, Minn., has left for Alaska, where he has accepted a similar position.

Sigurd Stendahl, 1529 Kane street, is visiting relatives in Cottonwood, N. D.

Mrs. A. J. Ahrens, Minneapolis, is renewing north side acquaintances.

E. Jack, Galena, Ill., was a north side caller Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. Ben Nelson, Madison, are the guests of the former's mother, Mrs. Ole Nelson, 1402 Kane street.

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Boston	76	92	0
Charleston	76	84	0
New York	80	90	0
Washington	72	94	0
Galveston	82	92	0
Jacksonville	74	82	.22
New Orleans	76	84	0
Chicago	76	88	0
La Crosse	61	96	0
Madison	62	94	0
Memphis	76	88	0
Milwaukee	68	86	0
Bismarck	46	54	.64
Huron	50	66	.18
Kansas City	70	98	.68
St. Paul	56	80	0
Boise	56	80	0
Denver	54	74	.44
Helena	48	72	0
Miles City	46	72	.04

Nation's Brain Cells.
In national government, as in all other great human concerns, it is not possible to destroy long established and complicated systems with a sledge hammer, no matter how evil their real character may be without injuring the innocent, and temporarily, at least, halting the fluent and logical co-operation of the nation's brain cells.

**CITY NEWS
TICKER**

Property Transfers

Property in E. S. Vail's addition to the city of La Crosse owned by Halvor E. Strand and Mary A. Strand was conveyed to Leo Bezosky and Amy Bezosky for a consideration of \$2,800, a warranty deed for which was filed at the register of deeds office.

Lots three, four, five and six of block number three of the first addition of Spier's addition to La Crosse was transferred by Esther A. Bresce to John S. Weimar for a consideration of \$750, warranty deed for which was filed at the county building.

Licensed to Wed

A marriage license was issued at the county court house to John M. Irwin and Elizabeth Schultz, both of St. Paul. They will be married in La Crosse.

Work on Report

Mayor A. A. Bentley and the city delegation which accompanied him to Oshkosh for the convention of the Wisconsin League of Municipalities was scheduled to meet Tuesday evening at the city hall to compile its report to the council. Changes in the laws governing registration of voters, and in the issuance of city bonds, it is said, may be recommended in the report.

Look for Stolen Car

La Crosse police are on the lookout for a motor-car stolen yesterday from Sparta, at the request of Sheriff George Boss of Monroe county. The car is described as a bottle green, six-cylinder Buick touring car, bearing the number 15337.

Stabber Not Found

Although Frank Brown admits he stabbed, and witnesses are plenty to the stabbing, the police are still without proof to convict the negro. They can't find the unidentified white man Brown is supposed to have slashed. Diligent search has failed to uncover a trace of the man, who disappeared from the scene of the fight before the officer arrived to arrest Brown.

Martin Body Not Found

The body of Jack Martin, famous singer of light opera, twenty years ago, who died as a laborer on a government rock barge near Brownsville, has not yet been found, the police say. They have been notified by William Martin, Albany, N. Y., to send the body to the family home as soon as it is recovered.

NOTICE

Having removed my stock of goods from 607 Main St., to 1724 Cass St., I wish to thank my customers of the past thirty-six years for their kind patronage. I shall continue to do business and employ the same competent workmen that I have always had.

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PERSONALS

Hansen's Shoe Repair works, 304 South 4th.

Miss Ellene Lienlokken, St. Paul, is the guest of Mr. and Mrs. Theodore Thompson at their summer home at Fort Comfort.

Miss Sarah Groves, 702 North Ninth street, is out of the city on a week's vacation.

Miss Margaret Stangl, Minneapolis, has returned from a brief visit in the city.

Drummond, watches. 533 Main.

E. M. Wing, president of the Batavian National bank, returned today from Lake Washington, Minn., where he motored to spend the week-end. His family and that of D. G. MacMillan, who also made the trip, are expected to return before the end of the week.

Senator Otto Bosshard returned yesterday from a campaign trip with Senator Kenyon of Iowa in the interest of Senator La Follette. Senator Bosshard addressed enthusiastic gatherings at Edgerton and other places.

Hack calls day and night. Gateway City Transfer Co. Phone 179.

Ludvig Larson of Waukon, Iowa, is in the city on business.

S. N. Gavany of Arcadia is in La Crosse on a business trip.

R. C. Sampson of Wausau visited friends in the city yesterday.

E. Rowlands of Tomah spent yesterday in La Crosse.

Edward J. Smith of Sparta was in the city yesterday on a business trip.

Miss Florence Williams, 909 La Crosse street, at present in the shoe department of the William Doerflinger company, has accepted a position with the Brower Shoe company of Milwaukee. Miss Williams will leave September 1 for Milwaukee.

Verse and Reverse

THE LITTLE COAT
Here's his ragged "roundabout,"
Turn the pockets inside out;
See, his penknife, lost to use,
Rusted shut with apple juice;
Here, with marbles, top and string,
Is his deadly "devil sling."
With its rubbers, limp at last
As the sparrows of the past,
Beeswax-buckles—leather straps—
Bullets, and a box of caps,
Not a thing of all, I guess,
But betrays some waywardness—
Even these tickets, blue and red,
For the Bible verses said—
Such as this his memory kept—
"Jesus wept."

Here's a fishing hook and line,
Tangled up with wire and twine
And dead angleworms and some
Slugs of lead and chewing gum,
Blent with scents that can but come
From the oil of rhodium.
Here's a soiled yet dainty note,
That some little sweetheart wrote,
Dotted— "Vine grows round the
stump."
And—"My sweetest sugar lump,"
Wrappes in this—a padlock key
Where he's filed a touchhole-see;
And some powder in a quill,
Corked up with a liver pill;
And a spongy little chunk
Of punk.

Here's the little coat, but, oh,
Where is he we've censured so?
Don't you hear us calling, dear?
Back, come back, and never fear—
You may wander where you will,
Over orchard, field and hill;
You may kill the birds, or do
Anything that pleases you.
Ah, this empty coat of his,
Every tatter worth a kiss,
Every stain as pure instead
As the white stars overhead;
And the pockets—homes were they
Of the little hands that play
Now no more, but, absent thus,
Beckon us.

—J. W. Riley.

Roses That Soon Fade.
The roses of pleasure seldom last long enough to adorn the brow of him who plucks them; for they are the only roses which do not retain their sweetness after they have lost their beauty.

—Hannah More.

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HOSPITAL SOCIETY GETS UNDER WAY

WHITEHALL, Wis.—(Special)—The stockholders of the Whitehall community hospital met at the village hall Monday afternoon and completed the organization by adopting by-laws, electing a board of directors and appointing committees as follows: Board of directors, A. E. Wood, Ludwig L. Solrud, O. J. Eegum, H. A. M. Steen, R. H. Holtan, Claude Everson and Gilbert Peterson; building committee, Richard Mattson, J. F. Johnson, E. A. Hegge, J. F. Hager and Anton Vold; examining committee, E. A. Hegge, A. O. Medby and E. F. Hensel.

To Go Ahead With Plans
A resolution was adopted authorizing the board of directors and building committee to select a site and proceed with the erection of a hospital. The board of directors met and organized immediately afterwards and elected Ludwig L. Solrud president, O. J. Eegum vice president, E. A. Sorenson secretary and S. N. Hegge treasurer.

Whitehall Wins
The Whitehall ball team defeated the Galesville team Sunday by the score of 14 to 2.

Local and Personal
A baby arrived at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Elmer Hanson Sunday morning.
Mrs. O. J. Eegum departed Monday morning for Chetek on a visit.
Tom Wright and family departed Saturday for their summer home in California.

Isaac Anderson and family, former settlers near Whitehall, are renewing acquaintances in the village.
August Granberg spent Sunday at Osseo.

FAITHFUL OFFICERS HEIRS OF DEFUNCT MERCHANTS' BODY

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assiduous as treasurer. His accounts have been kept right up to the minute and he has always been on hand when there was the slightest chance that he would be needed. The association was most fortunate in its officers.

Promoted Unity
"What has been the greatest benefit to La Crosse merchants from the association?" was the question put to William Doerflinger, one of the oldest members.

"The greatest benefit has been the unification of the merchants. Before the association was organized there was ill-feeling among some of us. When we got together we found that there was room in La Crosse for all of us. We found that we could plan to do things together, and that it was better business to co-operate. Of this co-operation the Dollar-day sales and the fall openings are examples."

Other accomplishments of the association are the licensing of peddlers, the fight for better train service, and the agitation for reduced freight rates. About thirty firms were members.

The last officers of the association were Vincent Tausche, President; Joseph J. Felber, vice president; Charles A. Krebaum, recording secretary; Harry Taggart, general secretary; Charles B. Gesell, treasurer.

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ESCH OPPOSED TO ARBITRATION BY U. S. COMPULSION

In Interview at Washington La Crosse Congressman Declares It Not American

CONGRESS SHOULD ACT
What Line National Legislators Should Take, However, Stumps Mr. Esch

Representative John J. Esch of La Crosse, with other members of the senate and house interstate commerce committee, is not in favor of compulsory arbitration, as President Wilson has hinted may be necessary in the present railroad-employee situation. In an interview given out in Washington, Mr. Esch, who is ranking republican member of the house committee, is quoted as follows:
"Personally, I do not see how it is possible under our form of government. It implies that a man must work against his will if his desire is not to work. That is a form of servitude and servitude is forbidden by the constitution, except for criminal offenses."

"At the same time, it does seem, if the president is unable to settle the dispute between the employers and their men, congress should take a hand in it and prevent a tie-up. Just how congress should act I don't know."

Senator La Follette, with Clapp of Minnesota and Cummins of Iowa, of the senate committee, are also said to occupy the same position.

COLMAN CO. BUYS GALESVILLE YARD

By a deal last week the C. L. Colman Lumber company, of La Crosse, came into possession of the business of the Galesville Lumber company. The yards, buildings and business of the local concern were bought by the Colman company, and hereafter the business will be conducted under the name of the purchasers.

R. E. James, a member of the Galesville Lumber company, and manager of the business, will be retained as manager under the Colman company.

The Galesville Lumber company took over the I. S. Farrand Lumber company business four years ago. Since that time the yards have been enlarged and new sheds and buildings added. The Krienzle retail cement business was added two years ago.

Two Killed in Blast In Ashland Dynamite Works

ASHLAND, Wis., Aug. 22.—Two men were killed and \$2,000 damage done by an explosion in the plant of the Du Pont dynamite works at Barksdale Monday. The dead: David Michael, Hayward, Wis. Henry Edner, Ishpeming, Mich.

The explosion destroyed the Trivelpiece plant. The Barksdale plant has been in operation twelve years, and this is the fourth explosion causing loss of life and the first in eight years. Du Pont officials here emphatically denied Tuesday that they thought any outside agents were responsible for the explosion.

EBERHARD NAMED ADVISORY BOARD

NEW YORK, Aug. 22.—A new republican advisory committee to look after important details of the Hughes' campaign was announced by Chairman Wilcox this afternoon.

Included among the members are ex-Postmaster General Frank Hitchcock, and Raymond Robins of Illinois. Other committee members are:

John Wanamaker, Philadelphia; Governor Beekman, Rhode Island; ex-Senator Theodore Burton, Ohio; Charles Dawes, Chicago, comptroller of the currency under President McKinley; Victor Rosewater, Omaha; O. A. Eberhard, ex-governor of Minnesota; Charles W. Fulton, ex-senator from Oregon; William L. Ward, New York, and James Wilson of Iowa, former secretary of agriculture.

LOCAL PHYSICIANS NAMED DELEGATES

Dr. Edward Evans and Dr. Adolph Gunderson, prominent local physicians, have been appointed by Governor Philipp among the fifty Wisconsin delegates to attend the Mississippi valley conference on tuberculosis. The conference will be held at Louisville, Ky., October 4 to 6. Word of the appointments came on Tuesday.

NO TRACTION STRIKE

NEW YORK, Aug. 22.—New York's threatened strike of surface, subway and elevated railroad employees is settled. Mayor Mitchell announced Monday afternoon.

New York Money
NEW YORK, Aug. 22.—Money on call, 2 per cent; time money, 3 1/2 per cent for six months; prime mercantile, 4 per cent.
Bar silver: London, 31 1/16; New York, 66 3/4.
Demand sterling, 4.76.

SALEM SALOONIST AND TWO OTHERS HAILED TO COURT

Charges Involve Alleged Sale of Liquor to Minor and Posted Man

Three warrants have been issued by Judge Brindley in connection with the alleged sale of liquor to a minor and a posted man by a West Salem saloon keeper. Warrant number one, issued on complaint of L. C. Sanders, calls for the arrest of Ole Knutson of West Salem as a habitual drunkard. The second one is against Jack Roberts, a minor, charged with procuring liquor for Knutson. The third is against Pete Hoffman, a saloon keeper, who, it is said, sold Roberts the liquor.

The case against Hoffman was dismissed when he was arraigned before Judge Brindley just before noon, upon Hoffman's showing that his bartender, and not himself, had sold the liquor to the youth. It was also shown that the youth had represented himself as of age.

It was regarded as probable that the bartender would be arrested in place of his employer.

The other cases were postponed until afternoon.

NEW REVOLUTION OF LEGALISTAS GET UNDER WAY

EL PASO, Texas, Aug. 22.—Declaring de facto President Carranza the worst enemy of Mexico and that his rule could result only in factional tyranny, Manuel Bonilla, former minister of the interior under Francisco Madero, made the first public statement in behalf of the new revolutionary party the "Legalistas" here Tuesday. Bonilla said efforts were under way to unite all Mexican factions against Carranza. Meantime United States secret service men here and Juarez are watching closely the activities of the new party.

Bonilla has just returned from New York where he was enlisting aid for the revolutionists.

ANSWER OF BARONS MAY BE FINAL ONE TO WILSON APPEAL

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the president on their conclusions regarding this plan.

President Holden announced the committee of so-called "big barons," included himself, W. W. Atterbury, Pennsylvania; Fairfax Harrison, Southern railway; R. S. Lovett, Union Pacific; E. P. Ripley, Santa Fe; A. H. Smith, New York Central; Frank Trumbull, C. & C., and Daniel Willard, B. & O. He issued the following statement:

"The committee is in continuous session, considering the situation, but no conclusion has yet been reached."

Wilson Has No Second Plan
President Wilson held himself in readiness to meet them as soon as they were ready, and it was said he had indicated he has no plan to present other than that on which he has steadily insisted.

The roads are dying hard, however. They will not yield, it was declared, unless they can trade the president and gain some "offsetting advantages," some "adequate compensation" for accepting what they regard as "a revolutionary change" in the eight-hour day.

But the very fact that many of the small road chiefs, as well as a number of the foremost railroad executives, have reached the stage where they are willing to talk "trades" indicated that President Wilson has stirred up what he termed the "impossible opinion" of the railroad powers.

It is now known that the B. & O., and the Southern railway executives are ready to make concessions and President Hale Holden of the Burlington, in whose hands Louis W. Hill has placed power for negotiating for the Hill lines, is unequivocally rejecting the president's proposal.

On the other hand, the Pennsylvania and the New York Central were holding out strongly against yielding the point of arbitration. A majority of the great systems appeared to be with them.

"No Strike," Says Railroader
"There will be no strike," said one railroader. Officially, he has said the executives would "stick to the last ditch" if public opinion "continues favorable to the railroads."

Privately, however, his admission was that "they'll talk this 'last ditch' business, but it is a practical certainty that no strike is coming."

The informant frankly said if there is any veering in public sentiment—as the railroads interpret it—or, if President Wilson feels the public is with him, the executives must—and will—yield.

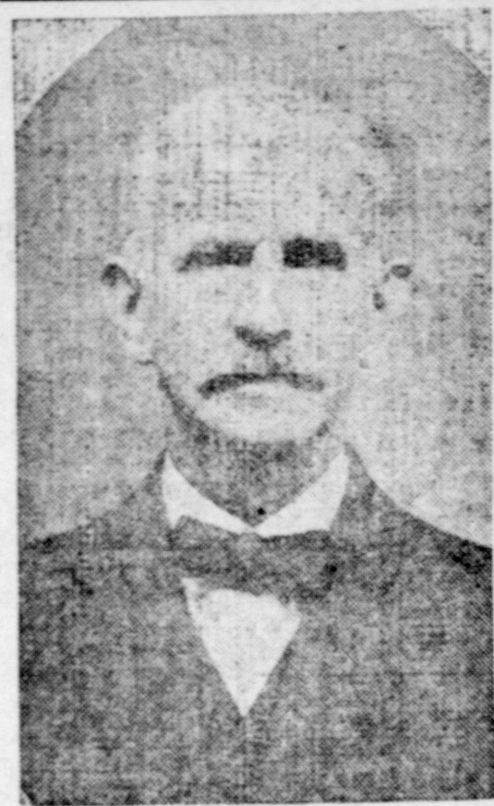
The employees had a brief meeting Tuesday morning and found themselves at a loss to size up the situation accurately though inclined to optimism.

Their meeting adjourned until 3 o'clock and in the meantime many of them visited the capitol as the guests of Vice President Marshall.

FOUR NEW CASES IN CHICAGO

CHICAGO, Aug. 22.—Four new cases of infantile paralysis were reported Tuesday. Three were in Chicago and one was in Lisbon, Ill. There are now 85 cases of the plague in Chicago hospitals. Three patients at the county hospital were discharged as cured Tuesday. One died, bringing the total dead from the disease since July 1 to 21.

These Presided at Last Rites For The Retail Merchants



Vincent Tausche, president of the Retail Merchants' association.



Harry Taggart, secretary of Retail Merchants' association, who was one of heirs of the defunct body. Charles B. Gesell, treasurer, and Mr. Taggart were presented with remembrances purchased by the remaining funds of the association.

CATHOLICS RESENT PUBLICITY GIVEN ATTACK ON WILSON

NEW YORK, Aug. 22.—Delegates of the American Federation of Catholic Societies, in convention here, were resentful of the publicity given attacks made upon President Wilson and his administration in meetings of the federation.

Too much stress has been laid upon the meetings of the German Catholic organizations, delegates said. It was stated that the German organizations' foreign policy, represent but one-fifth of the total membership of the federation.

A movement to re-organize the American Federation of Catholic societies along the lines of what is known as the Boston plan, was started Tuesday by delegates from Massachusetts and other New England states here for the annual "Catholic week" celebration. The Boston plan is to make the diocese the unit of representation, rather than the state or county.

"PLAY FESTIVAL" IN RIVER PARK

Playground Children in Pretty Dances Interest a Fair-sized Audience

Girls and boys of the La Crosse Playgrounds gave a "play festival" at Riverside park last night before a fair-sized audience. Dancing, under direction of Miss Alice Taylor and Miss Eunice Gibson, directors of the playfields, was the chief feature.

The program was as follows: Singing games—Small girls of Hood street.

Dumbbell drill—Hood Street girls.

Folk dancing—Small girls, West avenue.

Revelry of the Fairies and the Brownies—Boys and girls of Copeland park.

Chin Chin Gala—Copeland park girls.

Lantern marching evolutions—West avenue girls.

Pantomime of the flowers—Copeland girls.

Camp Fire Girls' ceremonial.

RELIEF TEMPORARY SAYS WEATHERMAN

CHICAGO, Aug. 22.—Cooling winds brought relief to Chicago and the middle west Tuesday. But it's only temporary, according to the weather bureau, which says that warm weather will return Thursday.

The temperature here, it was said, would remain in the 80's all day and possibly go as low as 65 during the night. High temperature here Monday was 97.

CHURCHMAN SERIOUSLY ILL

PEORIA, Ill., Aug. 22.—Archbishop John Lancaster Spalding is in a serious condition as the result of the heat and a general decline that became marked ten days ago.

SPARTA WOMAN CELEBRATES HER 101ST BIRTHDAY

Mrs. Emmeline Arnold Is the Oldest Resident of County of Monroe

SPARTA, Wis.—(Special.)—Mrs. Emmeline Arnold on Monday celebrated her 101st birthday. Mrs. Arnold is the oldest resident of Monroe county, and the first citizen of Sparta to pass the century mark. A re-union of her scores of descendants marked her hundredth birthday last year, but owing to the great heat and Mrs. Arnold's rather feeble health, there was no observance Monday, except that many relatives and friends dropped in to congratulate the aged woman.

Mrs. Arnold was born as Alzina Emmeline Thompson in 1815, at Ellisburg, Jefferson County, N. Y. When about 18 years old she moved with her brother-in-law, Harry Burr, father of the late Orritt Burr of Sparta, to Akron, O., and later to Copley, Ohio, near Akron, where she met and married Orville L. Arnold. Four children were born at Copley—Birchell and Mortimer, now of Sparta, Orville of Akron, and a daughter, Miss Ophelia. The family moved to Sparta in 1856, locating on a farm near Leon. After Mr. Arnold's death in 1875 the family moved into Sparta.

Mrs. Arnold and her daughter lived on West Main street until the latter's death three years ago, since which time the aged lady has made her home with her sons, alternating a month with each. Her birthday Monday was celebrated at the home of B. M. Arnold. Last year the date was observed at the home of Mortimer Arnold.

Mrs. Arnold is in full possession of her faculties, and active, considering her advanced age. She took a short walk Monday morning, and was highly pleased that she had thus observed her birthday. Mrs. Arnold although her eyesight is failing, still is able to read newspapers, and is quite well, although rather feeble. Until a few years ago she did a great deal of fancy-work. She has a good appetite and enjoys sound sleep.

Mrs. Arnold is noted for her sweet disposition, and her ready smile is the first thing to impress one upon meeting her.

School Open Sept. 4

The fall term of school begins Sept. 4 in the grades at 9 o'clock and in the high school at 8 o'clock a. m. for enrollment only.

The board of education is composed of the following members: Director—Dr. C. B. Beebe. Treasurer—Howard Teasdale. Clerk—T. C. Longwell.

The teachers engaged for the following year are as follows: Frank C. Bray, supervising principal; Warren O. Griffin, mathematics; F. J. Hughes, commercial course; Sylvia I. Richardson, domestic science; William Miltmore, manual training; Elizabeth Meshynsky, German; Marjorie M. Wallace, music; Jennie M. Dudley, history; Marie Gape, English; Grace Colby, English; Edward T. Cusick, science and agriculture; Otto Birr, history and mathematics.

Grade Teachers

Central Ward Building
Florence Lawson, principal and 8th grade; Loyd Whitbeck, 7th and 8th grade; Alice Lawson, 7th grade; Lillian McArthur, 6th grade; Bessie Householder, 5th grade; Jessie B. Owen, 5th grade; Pearl Herman, 4th grade.

First Ward Primary
Ella I. Wetzel, 4th grade; Doris Gipple, 2nd and 3d grade; Leona Albright, beginners and 1st grade.

Second Ward Primary
Ruth Enckhausen, 2nd and 3d grade; Florence Oberg, beginners and 1st grade.

Third Ward Primary
Marie Seidell, 2nd and 3d grade; Hattie Lawrence, beginners and 1st grade.

Fourth Ward Primary
Myrtle Hoffman, 2nd and 3d grade; Clara Conklin, beginners and 1st grade.

Manual training and domestic science is offered in the 7th and 8th grade. Music and drawing is offered throughout the grades.

There will be a teachers' meeting for grade teachers in the Ward school building Friday, Sept. 1, at two o'clock, and a meeting for high school teachers at the high school at 7 o'clock. There are four new grade school teachers.

FRANK TILLMAN IS CALLED TO BEYOND

Frank Tillman, prominent local undertaker, died at 1 o'clock today at his residence, 1009 South Seventh street. Death is said to have been due to tuberculosis, from which Mr. Tillman has been suffering for some months. He recently returned from a sanatorium.

Mr. Tillman was a well-known resident of the city, having spent most of his life here. He is survived by a widow and a son, as well as his mother, two brothers and a sister. The brothers are Henry and Edward Tillman. The sister is Mrs. William Heileman.

Mr. Tillman was a member of John P. Linton lodge of the Knights of Pythias, and of the local organization of Modern Woodmen.

Funeral arrangements have not been completed.

VETOES LAND BILL

WASHINGTON, Aug. 22.—President Wilson on Tuesday vetoed a bill providing that land within five miles from a city or town may be purchased for parks, cemeteries and sewerage, it being permissible to take this land from land reserved for forest purposes.

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RUSHFORD SCHOOLS ARE READY TO OPEN

Potato Crop a Failure in This Vicinity on Account of the Prolonged Dry Weather

RUSHFORD, Minn.—(Special.)—Rev. George Stanley occupied the pulpit of the Rushford Presbyterian church last Sunday morning. Rev. Stanley, wife and daughter, are spending their summer vacation in and around this city. Rev. J. C. Hantly, the resident pastor of the church, preached the morning sermon at the Houston Presbyterian church on Sunday last.

A very large number of people from this city and vicinity gathered at the Rushford Lutheran church last Sunday afternoon to pay their last tribute of love and esteem to one who held a warm place in many hearts; the late Mrs. D. J. Sherven, whose sudden death last week Thursday afternoon so shocked us all. Rev. John Rockne, the pastor of the church, preached the sermon. The floral tributes were beautiful and varied, including a set-piece from the local W. C. T. U., of which the deceased was a faithful and much-loved member. Among those who came from other cities to attend the funeral services were the three brothers of Mrs. Sherven from Winona, together with their wives.

Crop a Failure

We note in a recent edition of the Winona Republican-Herald that just fifty years ago this month, potatoes tubed at \$2.00 per bushel. Though the tubers are not quite up to that notch, as yet, here, they are bringing \$1.00 per bushel, and some of the farmers are even forced to buy to tide them over the threshing period. The greatest complaint concerning the crop is that there are so few potatoes in a hill and that many of them are scabby, however, the crop is an excellent one; probably due to the fact that they were planted very deep and the dry weather did not effect them much. Home-grown water melons are now on the Rushford market and the most of them bring a good price. The quality is about up to the usual standard.

The new clothing store of Messrs. Lee and Quikstad gave its initial opening last Saturday and the place was crowded most of the day with those who came in to see what they had to offer.

The W. C. T. U. Parlor Meeting, held last Friday evening at the Presbyterian church of this city, drew a good audience which listened with enjoyment to the program. (Rev. John Rockne and G. Stanley were on for short talks. Rev. Stanley spoke of the changes which had taken place in this city since it has been his place of residence; the greatest change of all being the absence of saloons and the consequent absence from our streets of drunks and other disturbing elements. After the close of the program ice-cream and cake was served in the basement dining room.

The Campfire Girls were hostesses at a delightful ice cream social last Saturday evening, upon the lawn of the William Robertson residence on Stevens' avenue. The young ladies in charge wore their new costumes, trimming at neck, sleeves and upon the bottom of the skirt.

Alfred Berg, of Ferry street leaves tomorrow for Canada, where he will enter into the employment of a drayman in a town near Moose Jaw, where his brother lives.

Schools to Open

Rushford schools will open for the

year on Sept. 4th. All instructors are engaged and a number of workmen are engaged in putting into better shape the various rooms of the building. In some instances new desks are being placed; in some of the rooms the old desks are being removed and new tops put on, while the walls are being treated to a new coat of alabaster, a new chimney is being built on the southeastern part of the building and several other improvements are going forward. The third story of the building will be fitted up this year to accommodate the increasing work of some departments, while in the former old stone school-house in Brooklyn—occupied the past few years by the Bible Institute and Academy—the normal department, agricultural studies and perhaps the manual training work will be carried on. The school grounds have been improved greatly this summer by the planting of flowers and bulbs and by fencing off the main corners so as to keep the public from cutting across. Although many took kindly to the idea of wearing a school uniform, last year, the scheme does not seem to be awakening very much enthusiasm this fall.

PASSER DISCOVERS FIRE IN LAUNDRY

Only the fact that Ed Singer, an employe of the Stoddard hotel, was passing by the Modern Steam laundry last night at 9 o'clock saved the building from a disastrous blaze. Mr. Singer, happening to glance up at the windows, saw an unusual glow in the windows and turned in the alarm. Fire department No. 1 turned out and after breaking into the building found a pile of rags blazing in the middle of the floor. The fire was quenched by the use of chemicals.

HOGS AT HIGHEST MARK SINCE 1865

CHICAGO, Aug. 22.—Hog prices hit the highest mark since 1865 when choice hogs sold in the local livestock market Tuesday for \$11.30 a hundred pounds. The previous high level was \$13.25 in 1865. Heavy buying by Canadian purchasers for shipment to the soldiers in Europe, according to packers, is the cause.

BANDITS DEFEAT DE FACTO FORCE

EL PASO, Texas, Aug. 22.—Villista bandits, under the leadership of General Donaghy, severely defeated de facto troops only sixty miles from Chihuahua City last Friday, according to official dispatches here. Carranzistas forces of about 200 men were scattered and pursued by Villista band of about sixty men.

WILSON INDICATES HE WOULD AGAIN VETO ALIEN BILL

WASHINGTON, Aug. 22.—President Wilson let it be known to callers Tuesday that he will veto the immigration bill again if it comes to him for signature.

A short time later, the senate voted 32 to 23 to consider at once the revenue bill. This is believed to mean the immigration bill will go over until December.

The return to the regular democratic fold of five of the ten democrats who "insured" in behalf of the immigration bill Monday, was responsible for the vote to pass it over.

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TWO CHAMPIONSHIPS GO TO HOOD STREET

Defeating the Copeland champs in both events Monday at Copeland park, the Tigers of Hood street, champions of the south side playgrounds won the city playground title for the middle in indoor baseball and basketball.

Tigers had little difficulty in event, winning the indoor 12 to 2, the hitting of Vondra and the catching of Dagendish featuring play for the Tigers. Holmes of Copeland and Troneck of the Tigers played star games in the field. Skalland led the Tigers to a 15 to 3 victory over Cleveland in basketball. Gibson starred for the losers.

"The day returns and brings us the petty round of irritating concerns and duties. Help us to play the man, help us to perform them with laughter and kind faces; let cheerfulness abound with industry."—Robert Louis Stevenson

JIM SCOTT DRIVEN PIPP PASSES BAKER IN HOMER COLUMN

Cullop for Yankees Against the Sox Pitches Twelfth Won of Thirteen Starts This Season

NEW YORK, Aug. 22.—New York drove Jim Scott from the box in two innings on Monday and won the second game of the series from Chicago, 6 to 2.

High drove in Magee with a double in the first inning and sent in two more runs with another in the second. Cullop won his twelfth game out of thirteen pitched this season.

Pipp passed Frank Baker for the American league leadership in hitting home runs when he made his ninth circuit drive. The score:

Chicago	000200000	—2	9	0
New York	13000101x	—6	10	1

Batteries: Scott, Danforth and Schaik; Cullop and Walters.

Boston, 4; Indians, 0

Score: R H E
Cleveland 000000000—0 5 4
Boston 00101200x—4 8 2

Batteries: Morton, Gold, O'Neill and Coleman; Shore and Cady.

Tigers, 7; Macks, 1

Score: R H E
Detroit 103010110—7 11 9
Philadelphia 000000001—1 1 2

Batteries: Dauss and McKee; Myers, Haley and Picinich.

Browns, 4; Senators, 1

Score: R H E
St. Louis 301000000—4 9 2
Washington 000001000—1 5 2

Batteries: Davenport and Severoid; Harver and Henry.

AMERICAN ASSOCIATION

Indianapolis, 9; Milwaukee, 1.
Minneapolis, 6; Columbus, 5.
St. Paul, 7; Toledo, 3.
Louisville, 7; Kansas City, 5.

SPORTS

PHILLIES DROP TWO KONETCHY IS HARD HITTER FOR BRAVES

Champions Vanquished in Doubleheader by Smoketown Gang; Pfeffer Loses Game to Cubs

PITTSBURGH, Pa., Aug. 22.—Pittsburgh won a doubleheader from Philadelphia here on Monday, the score in the first game being 6 to 3 and the second 2 to 1. Score:

First game: R H E
Philadelphia . 101000100—3 7 2
Pittsburgh . . 00200103x—6 3 1

Batteries: Alexander and Killifer; Jacobs and Schmidt.

Second game: R H E
Philadelphia . 000100000—1 8 2
Pittsburgh . . 000001001—2 6 1

Batteries: Demaree and Burns; Evans and Fischer.

Braives, 2; Reds, 1

CINCINNATI, Ohio, Aug. 22.—Schneider weakened in the ninth and Boston won the second game of the series from Cincinnati here on Monday, 2 to 1. Up to the seventh only one hit had been made off Schneider and three off Randolph. Konetchy led the Braves in batting, getting a double and single in four times at bat.

Score: R H E
Boston 000000101—2 4 0
Cincinnati . . 000000100—1 6 1

Batteries: Rudolph and Blackburne; Schneider and Wingo.

Cubs, 5; Dodgers, 3

Score: R H E
Brooklyn . . . 001020000—3 11 2
Chicago 00001004x—5 7 3

Batteries: Pfeffer and Meyers; Vaughn, Packard and Tiliott.

Cards, 1; Giants, 0

Score: R H E
New York . . . 000000000—0 4 0
St. Louis . . . 10000000x—1 6 6

Batteries: Sallee, Anderson and Koecher; Watson and Gonzales.

BYFORD WINS FROM MILWAUKEE CRACK

MILWAUKEE, Wis., Aug. 22.—Malcolm Pierson, Milwaukee, and Heath Byford, Chicago, furnished the feature match in the second day's play for the tennis championship of Wisconsin at the Town club courts on Monday. Byford, present holder of the title, defeated the Milwaukee representative in two sets by scores of 6-0 and 6-1.

Preliminary Round

Heath Byford defeated Malcolm Pierson, 6-0, 6-1.

H. M. Stillman defeated Louis Rove, 6-1, 6-3.

H. M. Crawford defeated Norman Chester, 6-1, 6-2.

W. H. Dietenne defeated W. F. Dooley, 6-2, 7-5.

Spencer Smith defeated Dr. P. Goldstein, 1-6, 6-2, 8-6.

H. H. Effler defeated J. P. Pollard, 6-3, 6-1.

John Paddock defeated H. C. Hill, 6-2, 4-6, 6-4.

L. Miller defeated L. Mayhew, 3-6, 6-2, 6-3.

First Round

G. Maxon defeated P. Warford, 6-2, 6-3.

Ned Weller defeated J. Washburn, 6-3, 6-3.

J. Pollard defeated S. Peters, 6-1, 6-2.

W. A. Connors defeated Thornton Green, 6-1, 6-2.

Louis Seefeld defeated Guy Blaisdell, 6-1, 6-3.

F. T. O'Brien won from W. W. Tarr by default.

GIVES COPPER FOR GUNS

+ AMSTERDAM, Aug. 22.—
+ The Archduchess Zita, wife
+ of the Austrian heir pre-
+ sumptive, has given all of her
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+—nearly a ton—to the gov-
+ ernment to be made into
+ guns.
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Pittsburgh	54	54	.500
Cleveland	52	53	.492
St. Louis	52	54	.488
New York	51	53	.485
Washington	49	58	.458
Philadelphia	23	87	.209

NATIONAL LEAGUE			
	W.	L.	Pct.
Brooklyn	67	40	.627
Boston	61	42	.592
Philadelphia	62	44	.589
New York	52	55	.491
Pittsburgh	49	58	.458
Chicago	51	62	.451
St. Louis	51	64	.443
Cincinnati	43	72	.374

AMERICAN ASSOCIATION			
	W.	L.	Pct.
Louisville	71	51	.582
Kansas City	70	52	.574
Indianapolis	68	53	.562
St. Paul	62	56	.522
Toledo	59	59	.500
Minneapolis	61	63	.493
Columbus	48	70	.407
Milwaukee	43	78	.356

NATIONAL ASSOCIATION			
	W.	L.	Pct.
New York at St. Louis, clear.			
Brooklyn at Chicago, clear.			
Boston at Cincinnati, clear.			
Philadelphia at Pittsburgh, clear, two games.			

AMERICAN LEAGUE			
	W.	L.	Pct.
Chicago at New York, clear.			
St. Louis at Washington, clear.			
Detroit at Philadelphia, clear.			
Cleveland at Boston, clear.			

AMERICAN ASSOCIATION			
	W.	L.	Pct.
Indianapolis at Milwaukee, clear, two games.			
Louisville at Kansas City, cloudy.			
Columbus at Minneapolis, clear.			
Toledo at St. Paul, clear, 2 games.			

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WELSH WORKS HARD FOR WHITE MATCH

COLORADO SPRINGS, Col., Aug. 22.—Keenly realizing that his title of lightweight champion will be in danger, Freddie Welsh is putting in some great licks at training in preparation for his twenty round Labor day battle with Charley White.

Welsh is on the road every morning at 7 o'clock with his trainer and makes between six and eight miles. This is followed by an hour's work in his training quarters and eight rounds of boxing with his sparring partners.

Welsh continues a slight favorite in the local betting. But the wager that attracts most attention is the 3 to 1 shot that White won't score a knockout.

KILBANE GOES EASY

CLEVELAND, O., Aug. 22.—Featherweight Champion Johnny Kilbane will do less boxing while training for his fifteen round battle with George Cheney at Cedar Point on Labor day than any former or present title holder.

Kilbane personally announced today that he will not go more than four rounds with the gloves each day. Practically all his training will be through the medium of the rope, road, handball and punching bag.

WATCHING THE SCOREBOARD

Monday's Hero
Douglas Baird, Facing Grover Alexander in the eighth inning with three on the bases, Baird, for the Pirates, cracked out a double, cleaning the sacks and causing the first game of a double header to go against the Phillies.

The Pirates also annexed the second contest through good pitching by Billy Evans, a recruit.

Jeff Pfeffer lost a hard game at Chicago, when Rowdy Elliott's single produced three runs.

Circus Solly Hofman again is a Cub. The former hero of the old champions drove in the first Cub run.

Speaker's error helped the Red Sox to victory over Cleveland.

Roger Hornsby's triple after a double by Bescher, scored the only run for the Cardinals.

Slim Sallee had hard luck when he started against his former teammates at St. Louis. The Giants were stopped without a run by a recruit, Watson.

The Braves scored the winning run over Cincinnati in the last inning and

went into second place while Philadelphia was dropping two to Pittsburgh.

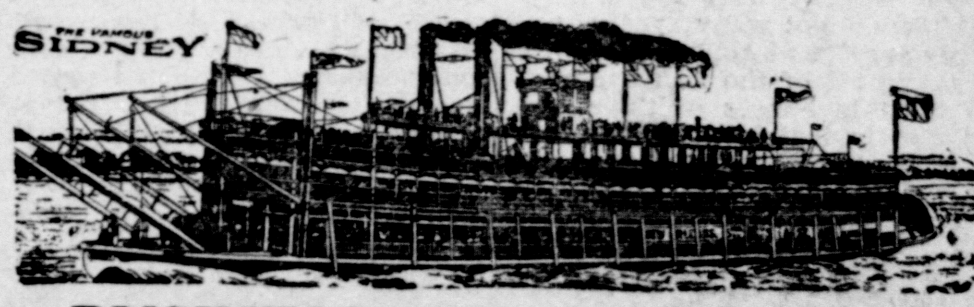
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BUSINESS MEN'S OUTING

SATURDAY, AUGUST 26th

AFTERNOON TO TREMPPEALEAU.

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Arrive Trempealeau, 5:30 P. M. } **Fare 50c**

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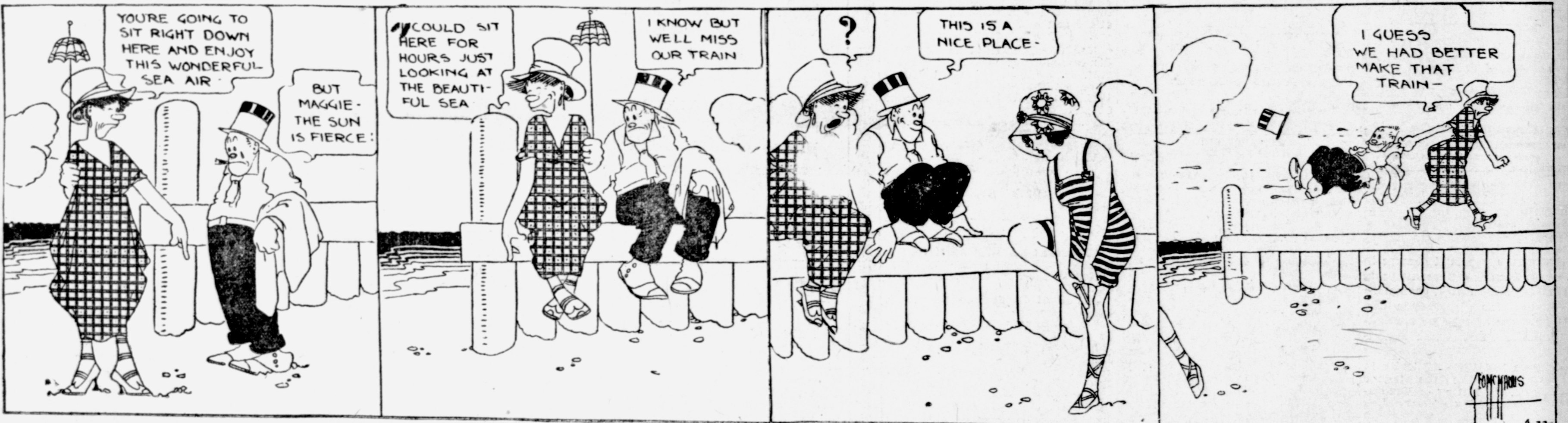
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THE HASKIN LETTER

A TOWN IN ONE HOUSE
By Frederic J. Haskin

NEW YORK, Aug. 22.—The amazing rise of the New York apartment house is about to reach its zenith in the creation of an immense co-operative country home on the shores of Long Island. The idea for this super-apartment originated with two well-known American artists, Walter Russell and Penrhyn Stanlaws. So far it has its existence only in drawings and plans, but inasmuch as a number of New York's millionaires are back of the project, and such artists as Frederic MacMonnies, Paul Bartlett, Jules Guerin and others, as well as Russell and Stanlaws have perfected the plans with the architects, there is no reason to doubt that it will in due course arise to amaze the world.

The development of the New York apartment is the most striking phenomenon of modern urban living, and the one fraught with the greatest possibilities. Not many years ago, the only apartment houses were tenements, and all of the rich and well-to-do lived in houses of their own. But the individual dwelling was forced out by the sheer limitations of space. First the old brownstone

fronts were deserted and changed into lodging and boarding houses; then more expensive residences shared their fate. A house that rented for five thousand dollars a few years ago may be had now for fifteen hundred.

Only the very wealthy can afford separate houses in desirable parts of the town, while the moderately wealthy has brought into being tenements of the most luxurious and elaborate sort. Twenty-five thousand dollars a year is paid for the occupancy of more than one New York apartment.

But this apartment house vogue is not merely a space-saving expedient. The significant thing is that the apartment house is an experiment in co-operative living. The occupants combine, in effect, to build themselves with other conveniences. This co-operative idea has already been given definition by the erection of a series of apartment houses in which each tenant actually buys one-half of the space he occupies, while paying rent on the other half. This co-operative idea was first put into practice by a group of artists. In fact the rise of the apartment house and the artist has been to a great extent contemporaneous. When the apartment was in its infancy, the artists were mostly confined to Washington square, McDougal alley and Greenwich alley, where they eked out a

precarious existence out of the few magazines and art patrons of that day. But the rise of the magazine brought wealth to the story writer and illustrator, while portrait painters, sculptors and architects began to enjoy a new vogue. Forthwith, they moved uptown.

But the artist wants few possessions. He does not wish to worry about servants, and garages and furnaces and gardens. The apartment is his natural habitat. He was first among the successful to make the apartment his home, and first to devise and inhabit the co-operative apartment. It was he who designed the "duplex studio apartment" which is now all the go in New York, even among people who never study anything. It is an apartment of which almost the whole first floor is one great room, with a vaulted ceiling, and a gallery all the way around, upon which the bed rooms open. Thus the ancient wheeze about the small size apartment rooms has lost its force. A famous dancing teacher holds classes of thirty pupils in her duplex apartment without crowding and one artist, Walter Russell, has a studio in his apartment home that is sixty feet long, and has a number of windows ten feet wide opening upon Central park.

To revert to the Long Island wonder, it is to take these ideas of plenty of room and co-operation for convenience and carry them to their logical limit, by having every occupant the owner of his own share of the building, and by erecting it out in the country. Incidentally, this most ambitious of all apartments is to be called "New Versailles," not because it will be a copy of its French counterpart, because no work of art can be copied, but because the name conveys something of the intention of the builders. It is to be an American work of art, with the spirit of American art back of it. The designs, which have already been painted by Jules Guerin, show an immense palace of marble climbing by a series of terraces set with ornamental pools and formal gardens and colonnades and fountains, from the seashore to

the top of a gently sloping hill. It is proclaimed that this is to be the true home of all that is great in American sculpture. MacMonnies will here restore the famous fountain which he designed for the Chicago exposition, and which has been torn down because there was no room for it. So will Aitkens' "Fountain of the Earth" be preserved along with Bartlett's equestrian masterpiece.

The United States lacks great architecture. Its works of decorative art have heretofore been housed mostly in museums. At the New Versailles



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they are to be given their true place in a scheme of elaborate beauty. In a word, when the scheme reaches its logical fulfillment, this will be the supreme monument to American wealth. In the year five thousand and something, mayhap, it will be dug up and exhibited as a masterpiece of the American civilization. It will be to the American millionaires what the pyramids are to the Pharaohs—a physical demonstration of their tremendous power to create.

But meantime, and as soon as the first chateau is finished, it will do for the American millionaire a great many things that he would otherwise have to do for himself. It is to be an experiment in communal living for the rich. All over the world, at various times, communal colonies have been founded by socialist dreamers, and always they have failed because there was no real need for them. Now in New York, the need has grown up because of the great number of people, and the complexity of their wants, and the need has brought into being the communal apartment house. This great co-operative country home will take up the idea and carry it a step further as it needs. One man for example, has bought only a room and bath for \$5,000, while another has bought \$25,000 worth. With this he can do as he pleases, for he owns it. This particular man has decided to cut out the floors of the second story, so that all of his rooms will have vaulted ceilings twenty feet high.

Having thus acquired an ownership, the tenant has satisfied all of his needs without any further effort upon his part except the writing of checks. Automobiles, garages, chauffeurs, are all supplied by the colony as a whole. So are yachts and motor boats, and a giant seaplane. A theater, schools for children, and a playhouse to cost \$25,000 are all thrown in. Tennis courts and golf courses, and an aviation field and hangars and aeroplanes are all there. Co-operative stores are maintained and co-operative restaurants, grill rooms, bars and catering establishments. In a word, the mil-

lionaire may enjoy all the innumerable perquisites of being a millionaire without once thinking about them; he may revel in the complex luxury of modern wealth and his own contribution will consist merely in paying the bill. He may go to Europe for the summer and return without notice and find everything in running order at his home communal.

The servant problem is to be solved in the same way. There will be a co-operative servant's quarters where the valets and lackeys and chamber maids will have a club house of their own, and a swimming pool and an auto bus to take them on picnics, and many other perquisites. From this establishment the tenant will be able to employ whatever servants he desires by the day, hour or year. There will be one requirement; no servant will be allowed to work more than eight hours a day.

This town-in-a-house is to have a board of directors elected by the tenants, and this board is to hire a manager. It will be run just like a modern small city, with one important exception. The board of directors

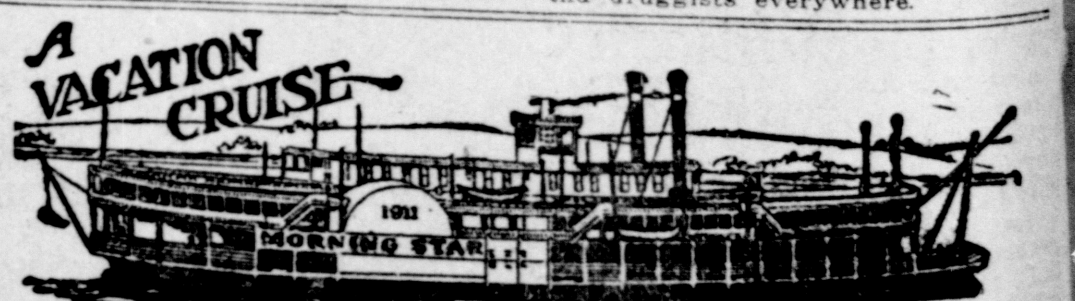
will carefully pass upon the social and financial qualifications of every would-be inhabitant. So this is to be a very exclusive experiment in communism. But if it works there will doubtless be other and less exclusive ones. So crowded are the great cities becoming that self-preservation has of necessity become mutual preservation. The co-operative apartment of today is probably a forecast of how we will all be living in the not so distant future.

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ALESMAN—One that can present a good proposition to business men; exceptional contract; big commission. Call 528 Cass street. Ask probob. 8 22 25

ABINET MAKERS, stair builders and bench men wanted. No trouble. Steady work. Farley & Loetscher Bldg. Co., Dubuque, Iowa. 8 19 9 1

WANTED—Men at quarry. Steady work. \$2.25 per day. La Crosse Stone Co. 8 1 1

BRIGHT, industrious boy at once. over 16. La Crosse Garment Co. 8 22 22

WANTED—Young man to work in bakery. M. Erickson Bakery Co. 8 22 24

WANTED—Barkeeper, 221 South Front. 8 21 9 2

WANTED—Boys. Stoddard hotel. 8 19 22

WANTED—FEMALE HELP

SEWING machine operators, experienced straight sewers and two needle stitchers. Will start a few beginners. La Crosse Garment company. 8 22 23

WANTED—Weavers or anybody that is willing to learn, at the La Crosse Hammock Works. Must be 16 or over. 8 22 9 4

WANTED—Girl for second work, who has had some experience. Apply Mrs. Henry Gund, 1509 King. 8 7 1

WANTED—Girls, 16 years or over, to work in our factory. La Crosse Knitting works. 7 6 1

WANTED—Girl for housework in small family. \$5.00 a week. 220 South Eleventh. 8 21 23

WANTED—Competent girl for general housework. Mrs. Geo. H. Ray, 825 King. 8 12 25

WANTED—Girl to assist with housework and caring for children. 319 So. 14th. 8 22 23

WANTED—Experienced girl for general housework. 221 South Tenth. 7 22 1

WANTED—Girl for general housework. 126 South Eleventh. 8 18 1

CHAMBERMAID, also kitchen girl. Stoddard hotel. 8 16 1

WANTED—Girls. La Crosse Paper Box Company. 8 19 1

GIRL for general housework. 126 South Eleventh. 8 21 9 2

WANTED—Cook. Call 209 South Fifth. 8 22 9 4

MAIL for general housework. 1093 King. 8 19 9 1

WANTED—Girls at Burlington hotel. 8 22 28

WANTED—Girl. Green Bay Hotel. 8 10 23

DISHWASHER—Home Restaurant. 8 16 29

WANTED—Girls. Burlington Hotel. 8 18 21

REAL ESTATE For Sale or Trade

FARM BARGAIN—Near Winona. Minnesota. 131 acres, most all under cultivation. Good buildings. If you are looking for a good farm, here it is. Price reasonable. W. D. Young, owner. Galesville, Wis. 8 1 31

FOR SALE—Farm and cut-over land in northern Wisconsin. Some improved. Will sell in tracts to suit. Prices from \$10 to \$22 per acre. Address Box 248, Onalaska, Wis. 8 1 1b

FOR SALE—Frame residence, beautifully located, central residence district, shady boulevard, electricity, gas, water; half block from car, six blocks from business district. Address K. E. care Tribune. 7 19 1

FOR SALE—Summer cottage located in "Shore Acres" on Mississippi. Buy now, build later. \$100 buys acre. Terms if desired. W. V. Kidder. 114 North Fifth. 3 27 1

CAN GIVE YOU four fine home-stand locations on Black river in northern Minnesota. 6 miles from railroad. A. J. Scott, 4241 Sheridan Ave. S. Minneapolis. 8 21 23

FOR SALE—120 acre farm, 1 1/2 miles from Rainy river, 2 miles to railroad station, \$11 an acre. A. J. Scott, 4241 Sheridan Ave. S. Minneapolis. 8 21 23

FOR SALE—First class lot on Hill-view, facing park, across from city greenhouses. Call 907-M or address L. T. care of Tribune. 4 12 1

80 ACRE FARM for sale or rent, trade for city property. 617 Vine street. 8 17 23

FOR SALE—Three lots, 21st and Vine. Price \$625. Call 1816 State. 8 21 26

THE NATIONAL BILLIARD HALL. Inquire C. F. Klein, 310 Pearl St. 8 22 24

FOR SALE—Shady corner residence. Inquire 803 South Eleventh St. 8 21 26

FOR SALE—Nice cottage, cheap. Box 222, City. 8 17 22

HOUSE AND LOT. Inquire 1014 Pine. 8 15 9 13

FOR SALE

FOR SALE—29-room hotel business, with bar in connection. Centrally located to all R. R. depots. Retiring account of ill health. Write M. A. S. care Tribune, La Crosse, Wis. 8 5 9 4

PAINT and wall paper business; only one in town; population 5,000; will sell on account of moving. Address Shawano Paint Store, Box 435, Shawano, Wis. 8 19 25

FOR SALE—Flying Merkel bicycle with Smith motor wheel. Used only three weeks. Bargain. Ristow Motor Co., 417 King. Phone 473. 8 19 22

TEAM good work horses, cheap if taken at once. New phone 61; old 5613. Elsen & Phillips, 110 South Second street. 8 16 22

FOR SALE—Two horses, one wagon, 1 road wagon, 1 cutter, 1 sleight, 2 harnesses. Fred Dittman Hdw. Co., 129 So. 4th. 8 12 1

FOR SALE—\$400 Hamilton piano, cheap; first class condition. Klavye Bros. Piano Co., 603 Main street. 8 17 1

FOR SALE—Good restaurant business in Wisconsin town of 2,000. Address H. H. W., care Tribune. 8 12 25

FOR SALE—Barber shop; three chairs all working; good business. B. E. Allen, Rochester, Minn. 8 16 22

COLUMBIA double disc records 65c. Second hand records 25c up. Klavye Bros. Piano Co., 603 Main. 8 17 9 16

FOR SALE—Cabinet Victrola and records, almost new, reasonable. 927 Jackson street. 8 19 25

FOR SALE—Rugs, portieres, curtains, leather couch, gas heater. 812 King street. 8 22 9 4

TWO pianos for sale at a sacrifice. First here has first pick. Apply at the Majestic. 8 22 1

FOR SALE—Second hand lumber, doors and screen doors. 1334 Ferry street. 8 21 26

FOR SALE—Hunting skiff. Cheap if taken at once. Inquire 1517 Badger. 8 21 26

FOR SALE—1200 pound horse, harness and wagon. 335 W. Ave. No. 11 24

COLUMBIA new double disc records, 65c. Weiss Book Store, 533 Main. 8 3 9 2

FOR SALE—Clay and best quality black dirt. La Crosse Stone Co. 8 1 1

FOR SALE—Four year old colt and horse. Call old phone 2023. 8 21 26

FOR SALE—Three Shetland ponies. Inquire Smith Grubber Co. 8 19 22

FOR RENT

FOR RENT—Seven room / house, electric light, gas for cooking, water, bath. Six blocks from Main and Fifth, five minute car service. Address S. E. Tribune. 8 7 1

THE SECOND story in the building No. 219 and 221 Main St., suitable for light manufacturing or mercantile business. C. F. Klein, 310 Pearl street. 7 28 1

FOR RENT—Three large modern steam heated rooms with bath, furnished complete for light housekeeping or normal student. 125 So. 21st. 8 21 24

FOR RENT—Strictly modern six room upper east apartment with sun parlor and every convenience, heated, fine location. 950 Cass. 8 19 28

FOR RENT—One nice housekeeping outfit, everything handy. \$3.50 per week. Inquire L. B. Ledman, 125 South Third. Both phones. 8 19 22

FOR RENT—Two nicely furnished front rooms. Inquire L. B. Ledman, office 125 South Third street, second floor. Both phones. 8 22 24

FOR RENT—Eight room house, modern. 515 South Eighth street. Call on P. E. Steve, 510 South Eighth, La Crosse, Wis. 8 22 24

FOR RENT—Furnished summer cottage on French Island, from August 26 to September 6. Daniels, 426 South Eleventh. 8 22 24

FOR RENT—Six room partly modern house, with sleeping porch. One block from car line. 216 South 24th street. 8 18 31

FOR RENT—Store suitable for grocery or handy store, 1219 West avenue south. Inquire 803 South Eleventh. 8 21 9 3

FOR RENT—Close in. Small cosy bed room cheap. To a gentleman of clean habits. 123 So. 7th St. 8 19 25

FOR RENT—Store. Modern front. New building, with large basement. City heat. 425 Jay street. 8 19 25

MODERN FURNISHED ROOMS with good board by day or week. Mrs. Grover, Gem restaurant. 8 16 22

FOR RENT—Unfurnished housekeeping rooms for man and wife, \$12. 320 North Eighth. 8 22 9 2

FOR RENT—Five room house, fine location. Inquire 320 No. Eighth street. 8 21 9 2

FURNISHED ROOMS for light housekeeping. 323 Cameron avenue. 8 17 23

FURNISHED ROOMS for light housekeeping. 709 South Fourth. 8 21 9 3

FOR RENT—Three furnished light housekeeping rooms. 714 Cass. 8 15 28

FOR RENT—Modern first floor flat, six rooms. 1334 Ferry street. 8 21 26

NICELY FURNISHED housekeeping rooms with bath. 718 State. 8 18 21

NICELY furnished rooms with or without board. 627 Vine. 8 19 26

NEWLY FURNISHED modern city heated rooms at 326 Jay. 8 16 22

FOR RENT—Garage. 17th and Winnebago. Call 1735-C. 8 19 23

FOR RENT—House, all modern. Call 493 South Tenth. 7 22 1

FOR RENT—One-half of store, 107 North Third street. 8 22 24

FOR RENT—One large furnished room. 631 State. 7 31 1

FIVE ROOM HOUSE, 321 1/2 Caladonia street. 8 19 1

MISCELLANEOUS

FOR SALE OR TRADE—A fine 15-16 Percheron stallion, black, weight 1,800, 7 years old, sound and sure. Will trade for horses, cattle or Ford car. Call or write L. A. Wakefield, De Soto, Wis. 8 21 22

E. F. HARE, contractors and builders, painting and paper hanging done by first class workmen. New phone 1003-Blue. 8 16 9 15

COBB'S Investigating agency. Secret service specialist. Phone 1294-R. Only legitimate detective work solicited. 8 19 25

N. A. MAGNUSSEN, 711 Market St. Cement work of all kinds. Reasonable prices. New phone 1056-R. 8 10 9 9

WANTED washing to take home. New phone 934-M. 8 18 22

WANTED TO RENT

WANTED TO RENT—Modern or nearly modern seven or eight room house, within eight blocks of the normal. Would like to occupy about Sept. 1. Address Box 46, Seneca, Wis. 8 16 23

WANTED TO RENT—Five or six room house. Address 909 Tribune office. 8 9 1

WANTED—Two or three modern unfurnished rooms for housekeeping. 8 19 22

MUSIC

NOTICE! All piano pupils who enroll for the fall term before September 1 will receive a special rate for the first twelve lessons. For particulars call at or phone Darwin C. Hoffschmidt, studio at 120 South Seventh street. New phone 1969-R. 8 21 22

UMBRELLA REPAIRING

UMBRELLAS REPAIRED and recovered; parasols a specialty. Mrs. C. A. Cordell, 1530 Miss. N. p. 1728M. 7 26 8 25

AUTOMOBILES FOR SALE

FOR SALE—One Chalmers roadster in good running order, \$225; one good truck, \$350; one Cadillac with electric starter, A No. 1 shape, \$1,250. General Motor Car, 207 State street. 8 12 1

NEW 1917 FORD PRICES
Ford touring car\$360
Ford runabout\$345
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H. Dahl, Ford Garage, Front & Main 8 9 9 7

FORD, five passenger, new tires, \$175; other good used cars at very reasonable prices. Elsen & Phillips, 110 South Second street. Old phone 5613; new phone 61. 8 21 24

FOR SALE—Second hand Ford runabout in good condition. Call 955-C. 8 10 22

FOR SALE—At a bargain, used cars. 419 State St. 8 11 1

CUT RATE SHIPPING

CUT RATES on household goods to Pacific coast and other points, superior service at reduced rates. The Boyd Transfer Co., Minneapolis, Minn. 8 19 25

PRINTING

500 BUSINESS CARDS, envelopes, statements or noteheads, \$1.15; 1,000, \$1.90. Lain, the Printer, 208 North Second. 8 7 9 6

CLEANERS AND DYERS
LET US CLEAN and press your suit. Fancy dresses, gloves, etc., specialty. Quick service. Work called for. Pitzner's. Phones 201-M; 3481. 7 24 8 23

RESTAURANTS

BEST of everything to eat. Short orders all hours, night and day. 228 Pearl. Fred W. Harris. 8 7 9 6

LOANS MADE on real estate, from \$200 to \$5,000. A. Lee, 305 South Fifth street. 8 21 22

LOST

LOST—Sterling silver friendship pin, set with brilliants, between Main and Fifth and Sixth and Jackson. Return to Tribune. Reward. 8 5 1

LOST—Auto starting crank, between 5th and 6th Streets on King. Monday afternoon, Aug. 21st. Return to Law Auto Co. 8 22 9 4

LOST—Between La Crosse and Caladonia, navy blue jacket with white satin collar. Phone 570-A. Liberal reward. 8 18 24

LOST—Gold glasses in Goose Green. Finder return to 710 Kane. Reward. 8 22 25

FINANCIAL

FOURTH BUILDING ASSOCIATION lends money on real estate. Study its monthly payment plan. 5 4 1

STOVES AND FURNITURE

SECOND-HAND furniture and stoves. Bell Furniture Co., 216 So. Third. 3 17 1

FURNITURE, STOVES, etc., bought and sold. Daley's, 625 So. Third. 1697-M. 7 22 8 21

BILL FOR GREATER JEWISH RIGHTS TO OCCUPY THE DUMA

Passage of Measure Forecasted by Support Given It by the Progressive Party

BY WILLIAM PHILIP SIMMS
(United Press Staff Correspondent)

PETROGRAD, Aug. 22.—A bill to abolish the Pale and give to Jews the same rights as other Russian subjects will be introduced in the imperial duma here when that body convenes in November.

Prof. Paul Millukov, leader of the cadets, so informed the United Press Tuesday, following his return from a visit to England, France and Italy, with other members of the Russian house.

"This bill has the support of the progressive party in the duma, therefore of the majority," said Millukov. "It will contain three essential parts. The first has for its object the removal of the Pale, (within which the Jews in Russia, with a few exceptions, have had to make their homes), thus enabling them to live wherever they choose. The second will remove some of the educational limitations placed on the Jew, and the third will make it possible for him to choose any profession or trade he cares to."

The bill to remove the limitations placed on Jews will not pass, however, without considerable opposition. The opponents say that the Jews would soon have the peasants at their mercy because they are keener business men.

Particularly do Russian leaders resent outside interference in settling the Jewish problem. Count Kokovtsov, ex-premier and minister of finance, expressed this attitude to me in this manner:

"In the United States you force southern people to pay taxes which you use in huge sums to pay pensions to northern people exclusively. But you wouldn't like it if we refused to have any dealings with you until you treated southerners just as you treat northerners."

Professor Millukov, quoted in the above dispatch, is a lecturer on history at Moscow university, the author of a number of historical works and an expert in the Balkans. He made a lecture tour to the United States in 1905, speaking in Chicago and other cities on the Russian crisis.

Comparative Markets

This quotations show the General Trend of Prices for the Previous Week

LIVESTOCK YESTERDAY

UNION STOCK YARDS, Ill., Aug. 21.—Hogs—Receipts, 31,000; market strong to 10c higher; mixed and butchers, \$10.40 to \$11; good heavy, \$10.40 to \$10.90; rough heavy, \$9.90 to \$10.10; light, \$10.40 to \$11; pigs, \$8 to \$9.70.

Cattle—Receipts, 24,000; market steady, 15c lower; heaves, \$7.10 to \$11; cows and heifers, \$3.70 to \$9.40; stockers and feeders, \$5 to \$7.80; Texans, \$7.35 to \$8.50; calves, \$9 to \$12.50; westerns, \$6.50 to \$8.80.

Sheep—Receipts, 21,000; market steady, 10c lower; native, \$6.40 to \$7.75; western, \$6.75 to \$7.90; lambs, \$7.25 to \$10.90; western, \$7.40 to \$11.15.

LIVESTOCK WEEK AGO
UNION STOCK YARDS, Ill., Aug. 14.—Hogs—Receipts, 45,000; market slow, 10c to 15c lower; mixed and butchers, \$9.60 to \$10.50; good heavy, \$9.80 to \$10.35; rough heavy, \$9.45 to \$9.60; light, \$9.80 to \$10.45; pigs, \$8.20 to \$9.60.

Cattle—Receipts, 18,000; market steady, 10c higher; heaves, \$7.00 to \$10.80; cows and heifers, \$3.60 to \$9.35; stockers and feeders, \$5.00 to \$7.85; Texans, \$7.25 to \$8.45; calves, \$9.00 to \$12.65; western, \$6.65 to \$8.70.

Sheep—Receipts, 25,000; market 15c to 25c lower; native, \$6.50 to \$7.80; western, \$6.75 to \$7.80; lambs, \$7.25 to \$10.75; western, \$7.50 to \$11.10.

Grain		Yesterday Week Ago	
WHEAT—			
Sept.	150 1/4	137 1/2	
Dec.	154 1/4	141 1/4	
May	158 1/4	145	
OATS—			
Sept.	86 1/4	83	
Dec.	74 1/2	70 1/2	
May	77 1/2	73 1/2	
CORN—			
Sept.	45 1/2	43	
Dec.	48 1/2	45 1/2	
May	52 1/2	48 1/2	

Beware of the feller that slaps you on the back. He is always the first one to slap you in the face.

Foreign Markets

New York Stocks

NEW YORK, Aug. 21.—The public jumped into the bull market on the Stock exchange Tuesday to an extent not noted since the wild advances of the war brides several months ago, and United States Steel set a new record, selling at 96 1/2, while advances of one to twelve points were made elsewhere.

Commission houses were swamped under orders and sales for the opening hour were nearly 400,000 shares. Approximately one quarter of this trading was in Steel common, the barometer of the market.

Railroad stocks joined in the upward movement, though their gains were not so marked as were advances in Steel and equipment stocks. Bethlehem Steel again held attention with a

DEFEAT OF "BOB" END OF ALTRUISM SAYS SEN. CLAPP

Minnesota Solon Declares Reaction Will Reign Supreme if La Follette Is Unseated

WAUPACA, Wis., Aug. 22.—"Senator La Follette's defeat would mean absolutely the perpetuation of that reactionary spirit which in the last four years has supplanted largely the altruism of the preceding few years," Senator Clapp addressed an audience of fully three thousand people. This was the biggest political demonstration held in Waupaca county in many years. Twenty five automobile loads of citizens of Wausau, thirty automobile loads of citizens from Iowa, and fifty automobile loads of citizens of New London came to Waupaca and joined a long automobile parade through the street before the speech. The New London people and the Wausau people each brought a band with them. This part of the demonstration was a tribute to William H. Hutton, the progressive candidate for the republican nomination for governor.

This was the declaration of United Senator Moses E. Clapp of Minnesota who made a vigorous speech here last night in the interest of Senator La Follette's re-election.

"If he is defeated," continued Senator Clapp, "it means the end of that altruistic struggle for many years."

Senator Clapp referred to the long and arduous struggle between the representatives of the public interest and the agents who represent the private interests of great combinations of wealth.

"This fight some years ago made history for the nation," he said. "Advances were made, like the direct election of United States senators, that will never be lost to the people. These gains may at times be made to appear losses because of using them wrongly, but in the end they will be strengthened to resist all attacks direct or indirect."

"Senator La Follette fathered the progressive cause that is so dear to the hearts of millions in this country. If he should be removed from public life this great movement would lose its steadfast champion and leader in the senate."

Westby

WESTBY, Wis.—(Special).—Mr. and Mrs. Engbret Nerlie and daughter Gudrum leave this week for their former home in Norway. They came here recently and have occupied part of the Thore Haugen residence. Mr. Nerlie, who suffered with brain fever some time ago, is distressed by the hot weather here.

Mrs. Milla Neppund and family and Olaf Walby and family spent yesterday at the Karlanna farm at Coon Valley.

Miss Belva Olson is visiting with her brother Eugene and family at Couray, Wis.

An interesting time was had at the box social at the A. W. Donovan farm on Sugar Grove Ridge Saturday evening.

Mrs. Selmer Olson and left yesterday for Wilmar, Minn., to visit with her parents. Mr. and Mrs. Holt, Florence Brendum is at Viroqua with Mrs. Olaf Walby.

Miss Lulu Dahl visited with relatives and friends at La Crosse last week.

Miss Signe Halvorsen returned from Minneapolis Saturday morning. Mrs. Luther Roseland and children of Viroqua spent last week in Westby during the absence of Luther at Minocqua.

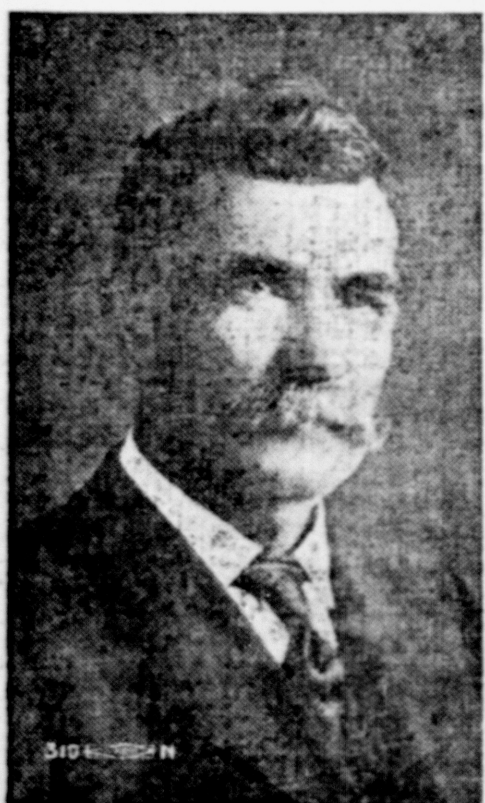
Rich Languages.

In extent, the Spanish vocabulary is far inferior to the English, though in richness of tone or expression the Spanish is ahead of the English language. It is claimed that the pure Castilian is the most musical of languages, the Italian not excepted.

New, Positive Treatment to Remove Hair or Fuzz

(Beauty Notes.)

Women are fast learning the value of the use of delatone for removing hair or fuzz from face, neck or arms. A paste is made with some powdered delatone and water and spread on the hairy surface. In 2 or 3 minutes it is rubbed off, the skin washed and every bit of hair has disappeared. No failure will result if you are careful to buy genuine delatone.



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Fine quality Huck Towels with fancy border, size 18x36, special for Birthday Sale Wednesday from 9 to 12 at each **7½c**
Limit 2.

Water Tumblers

Extra fine glass, smooth finish, fluted bottom, regularly sold at 5c a piece, for Birthday Sale Wednesday morning 9 to 12 at each **2½c**
Limit six.

Petticoats

One lot of regular 50c values Wash Petticoats, of excellent quality crinkle seersucker. Birthday Sale Wednesday 9 to 12 at each **29c**
Limit 1.

Middy Blouses

One lot of Middy Blouses, good quality but slightly counter rolled, \$1 values, 9 to 12 Wednesday day each **50c**

Women's Night Gowns

Made of good quality soft white material, cut full, elaborately trimmed with embroidery and laces, slip over style. Just 60 go on sale Wednesday morning from 9 until sold at each **39c**
Limit 1.

WOMEN'S SLIPPERS

Women's Black Serge Cloth Slippers with leather soles and heels. Sizes 4 to 8, Wednesday 9 to 12 **39c** per pair
Limit 1 pair.

Children's Parasols

An assortment of Children's Parasols, made of good quality tinsel material, tassel trimmed bows, special for Birthday Sale Wednesday from 9 until sold for each **5c**
Limit 1.

PEARS

No. 2½ can Fancy Michigan Pears, 15c value, Wednesday morning from 9 to 12 per can **10c**
Limit two.

OATMEAL

10c package of Best of All brand Oatmeal, Wednesday morning from 9 to 12 at **5c**
Limit 1 package.

DOERFLINGER'S

This List of Wednesday Morning Specials Should Pack the Store

SILKS UNDER PRICE

An assortment of silks including plain black and colored taffetas, fancy taffeta silks in stripes and figured weaves, novelty jacquard and printed designs. Silks especially desirable, in street and evening colors. Wednesday morning 9 to 12, per yard **\$1.10**

CANNED PEAS

10c can of Regal brand Peas, Wednesday morning from 9 to 12 at per can **5c**
Limit 1.

Toasted Marshmallows

Strictly fresh Toasted Marshmallows, Wednesday morning from 9 to 12 per pound **7c**
Limit 1 pound.

WEST SALEM FOLK JOURNEY TO CAMP IN TAYLOR COUNTY

WEST SALEM, Wis.—(Special).—An unusual and pleasant feature of the life of some of the people of this village is the joint ownership of a farm in Northern Taylor County, held and used as a hunting lodge in the game season and a summer resort, with bass fishing in the little lake that lies right at the door.

About twenty citizens form the evening club and have a fine two-story building, all metal-covered, and thoroughly adapted to its purposes, which they built for themselves, replacing the little old farm house that was burned a couple of winters ago.

Recently four or five families took their automobiles and toured to the camp and spent a week, enjoying the happiest kind of a picnic. They are able to eat breakfast at home and supper in camp, 137 miles away, reversing the program on the return trip.

The recent party consisted of the families of F. I. Bolles, W. I. Smith, F. P. Coburn, S. R. Holsten, with Martin McElowney and Mrs. S. L. McKeen.

Stubbs Sells Farm

The citizens of this village were surprised and a little "jolted" by the report that became current recently, that A. I. Stubbs had sold his Guernsey farm in the edge of town to a man from Melrose, and that the prospects were good that we would lose a citizen who has won the esteem of all classes of people here and whose activity, enterprise and public spirit gave him a high value to the community.

Mr. Stubbs, with a fine family which came with him from Iowa a few years ago, and which shares with him the cordial esteem of our people, is not yet lost to us. The deal may result in bringing another valuable citizen adding one without the loss of Mr. Stubbs and his family. If somebody could show him a place that would accommodate his family and business he might stay right here, for he is loath to leave West Salem.

Workmen have plowed and scraped and shaped the street from the creamery corner, west to the intersection of Leonard street and it will soon be paved permanently. This has been one of the most prohibitive pieces of thoroughfare subject to the heavy usage of all the cream haulers, the handling of much freight and the delivery of many a load of hogs and cattle, besides being the direct route out of town to the east, a much traveled route on general principles. The improvement will be as valuable as any that has been effected.

This paving will meet the proposed work on Leonard street, so that, with the new work, continuous paving

from the head of Leonard street north through village and country, all the way to Mindoro. Other sections of streets and alleys are also shortly to be improved.

Local and Personal

Another handsome new car, a 1917 Overland touring car, appeared on our streets the last of the week with Sterling W. Brown at the wheel.

Kristian Knudson of Minneapolis spent a few days here the past week visiting his cousin Peter Mikleson. Mr. Knudson is a cellist of note and was formerly a member of the Minneapolis symphony orchestra, but is now a member of the "Orpheum" orchestra. Mr. Knudson gives a glowing account of the pianistic ability of Homer Samuels, nephew of Mrs. Florence Samuels of this place and of Mrs. Montague and Mrs. Dan McMillan of La Crosse, and former pupil of Covine. Mr. Samuels is now accompanist for Emmy Destum, who thinks so highly of him that she recently sent for him to cross from New York to Copenhagen to assist her in giving two concerts there. She has presented Mr. Samuels with some beautiful gifts, including a diamond studded watch as testimonials of her esteem.

Mrs. Hamlin Garland and family are spending the summer at Canton, New York, near the home of Irving Pacheller, author of Eben Holden. Mrs. Garland writes that they are enjoying the summer greatly and that "Irving and Hamlin" are tramping and camping and are like two boys together.

Prof. John Gilbert has returned after his work in the summer school at Emporia, Kansas. He has moved from the Unedea building and taken up his residence with William Bradley. School will open here Sept. 4 and Prof. Gilbert is busy already with new plans.

Miss Carrie Redding of Portland, Ore., is making a short visit at the home of her aunt, Mrs. Carrie Gillfillan. Miss Redding has a fine position as teacher in the Portland public schools and thinks that Portland is the best place in the world to live.

Mrs. Myrtle Miller is in Madison attending the wedding of a friend.

Mrs. Walter Mertz of Minneapolis is the guest of her grandmother, Mrs. Caroline Gunderson.

Miss Eleda Johnson is visiting friends and relatives in Caledonia.

Mr. and Mrs. J. A. Anderson and daughter Beatrice of Barron are guests of friends in the village this week.

The West Salem stork has been very busy during the past week; witness the following:

Born to Mr. Mrs. H. C. Heider, Monday, Aug. 14th an eight-pound daughter.

Born to Mr. and Mrs. Severson of Larson Coulee, Monday, Aug. 14th, a daughter.

Born to Mr. and Mrs. Grant Stern, Tuesday, Aug. 15th, a son.

Born to Mr. and Mrs. R. A. Knapp, Tuesday, Aug. 15th, a son.

Human Lobsters.

Many women are like the species of lobster which, if left upon the rocks by the receding tide, waits for the returning tide to float it from its temporary prison. There on the rocks it would remain to die, although a slight effort would enable it to reach the waves, tossing only a few feet below. There are many human lobsters, mere "hangers on" of society, who are entertaining themselves with the idea that because they are women they are to be helped without putting forth any effort themselves.

Valuable Material Long Ignored. Many years ago soap boilers used to have great difficulty in getting rid of a thick, evil-smelling liquid which was the chief by-product of their industry. They ran it into streams and sewers. Presently someone began collecting it and refining it. The result was glycerin as it is known today.

Daily Thought.

Hope is brightest when it dawns from tears.—Scott.

DUMKE--BERNARD COMBINE TO FILL LONG FELT WANT

'Oh, Solomon Levi! He lives on Salem street.
'Tis there you get your collars and cuffs
And everything else so neat;
Your second-hand edulgers
And everything else so fine—
And all the boys they trade with him
At one hundred and forty-nine."

Just make it Otto J. Dumke and John Bernard, make the ulsters first-hand, throw in a scrumptious line of shirts and suits made to make you a Beau Brummel, name the locus in quo 119 South Fifth street (The La Crosse Theater building), and the good old song tells the story of a dual business enterprise that will interest La Crosse men who like to be well dressed.

While the Dumke and Bernhard enterprises are separate, they are housed together in a "scratch my back and I'll scratch yours" arrangement so convenient for tailoring and haberdashery. The fixtures are modern, most attractive and uniform in design and finish.

Mr. Dumke will handle and exclusive line of neckwear, custom-made shirts, underwear to order, as well as ready-to-wear gentlemen's furnishings of superior quality, all distinctive and of the highest quality.

Mr. Bernhard, who has been putting individuality into men's clothing in the state Bank building for more than a year, will continue in that business, as well as in high grade women's tailoring, will handle an exclusive line of the best fabrics and give to the La Crosse public the benefit of his many years' experience in the best tailor shops of New York city and Wisconsin.

DRIVER IS HURT WHEN TEAM BREAKS

TOMAH, Wis.—(Special).—The team belonging to Frank Kunitz became frightened by an auto, about a mile from Tunnel City Saturday evening and threw the owner out of the buggy. He sustained a broken hip and bruises about the head. He is being cared for at the Tomah hospital, where he was taken immediately after the accident.

Local and Personal

Sheriff George Ross of Sparta was a business caller here Monday.

Mrs. E. C. Van Wye, Mrs. Alois Fix and Mr. and Mrs. F. K. Talbot spent Sunday at Water Mill.

Frank Meincke while jumping off a freight train, fell and was severely bruised about the head.

Ed Rowlands, George Anderson, Arthur James and Alfred Bougers spent Sunday at Spring Bank.

Paul Rowlands returned from an outing at Waupaca.

Mrs. Al Fowler and Mrs. Grimshaw of Mather shopped in Tomah Monday.

Mrs. Clara Quigg returned from a visit in Illinois.

Mr. and Mrs. Alfred Olson of Valley Junction spent Monday in Tomah.

L. Wittun of Racine spent Sunday with friends here.

Miss Lulu Burlin who has been spending the summer at Waupaca.

THE PROOF OF THE PUDDING IS IN THE EATING

What the sick want is to get well. They do not care whether they are cured by the most scientific physician or the most unlearned neighbor—they don't care how they are cured, if only they get well.

For forty years women suffering from female ills have been taking Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound and have been getting well; and because they have got well, that great medicine continues to have a sale equalled by that of few proprietary preparations.

returned Monday to take charge of the Domestic Art department at the fair.

The Heintz Carnival company arrived Sunday evening and is busy preparing for the week's showing at the fair grounds.

Mr. John Bettinger is in New York in the interest of the Tomah Cash Mercantile company.

Max Paley, California, is the guest of his sister, Mrs. L. H. Baumgartner.

DREW HAS PARALYSIS MAY END TRACK DAYS

LOS ANGELES, Cal., Aug. 22.—Howard Drew, negro sprinter, and holder of the world's record for the hundred yard dash, has probably run his last race. Drew was laid up here Tuesday with paralysis, brought on when he strained himself in the

century dash of a meet at San Diego Saturday.

Drew was a member of the American team which won the Olympic games at Stockholm, Sweden, in 1912. He was formerly a student at a Springfield, Mass., high school, but of late has been attending the University of Southern California.

Drew holds the records of 9.3 for 100 yards and has equalled the record of 21: 1-5 for the 220 yards



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